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BIRTHS

ALLOM.—On June 17, 1930, at Kingsbarns, Kingswood, Surrey, to DONOVAN and BARBARA ALLOM—a son.

BAMBERGER.—On June 18, 1930, at 10, The Grange, Maitland-park, N.W.3, to MARJORIE (née Willis), wife of FRANK O. W. BAMBERGER—a daughter.

CAMPBELL.—On Monday, June 16, 1930, at a nursing home, to MARJORIE (née McCreath), wife of LT.-COMDR. I. M. R. CAMPBELL, H.M.S. Vivid—a son (IAN JAMES ALEXANDER).

CARTWRIGHT.—On June 13, 1930, at Cleves, Canons Drive, Edgware, to KATHLEEN (née Bridge), wife of ARTHUR W. CARTWRIGHT—a daughter.

CHAPMAN.—On June 13, 1930, at Eversleigh House, Abingdon, to MARGARET (née Alcock), wife of GEOFFREY PUSEY CHAPMAN—a son.

FEW BROWN.—On June 17, 1930, at The Homestead, Wildhern, Andover, to MARY, wife of GERALD FEW BROWN—a daughter.

FIELD.—On June 18, 1930, at 25, Dunstan-road, Golders Green, to MARJORIE (née Lehmann Lewis), wife of H. S. FIELD—a daughter.

GEDDES.—On June 15, 1930, at 27, Welbeck-street, W.1, to HÉLÈNE (née Rees), wife of COLONEL G. W. GEDDES—a son.

GLUCKSTEIN.—On June 18, 1930, at 26, Weymouth-street, W.1, to ESMÉ, wife of VINCENT GLUCKSTEIN—a daughter.

GRUBB.—On June 18, 1930, at Lochiel, Watford-road, Northwood, to EILEEN, wife of KENNETH G. GRUBB—a son.

HARGREAVES.—On June 17, 1930, at 27, Welbeck-street, MARY (née Shiell), wife of JAMES HARGREAVES, Royston, Herts, of a son.

HINDE.—On June 3, 1930, at Singapore, to RUTH, wife of C. T. HINDE, Mersing, Johore—a son.

HOLT.—On June 17, 1930, at Preston Deanery Hall, Northampton, to CECILIA, wife of BRIAN GRATTAN HOLT—a daughter.

LOWE.—On June 16, 1930, at Sussex House, 174, Sutherland-avenue, W., MARGARET, wife of CAPTAIN RALPH F. M. LOWE, Royal Artillery, of a son.

NORMAN.—On June 18, 1930, at Beacon Side, Sevenoaks, to GLADYS, wife of CECIL L. NORMAN—a daughter.

OWEN.—On June 18, 1930, at Garthgwynion, Machynlleth, to MEGAN (née Jones), wife of LLOYD OWEN OWEN—a daughter.

PAGE-PHILLIPS.—On June 17, 1930, at Melbury Osmond Rectory, to KATHLEEN (née Caulfeild), wife of the REV. T. W. PAGE-PHILLIPS—a son.

PRESTON.—On June 18, 1930, at Neville Lodge, Astons-road, Moor Park, Herts, to CATHERINE MARY, the wife of LIEUT.-COMDR. ALAN WESTBURY PRESTON, R.N. (retired)—a daughter.

RATCLIFFE.—On June 14, 1930, at 8, Church-lane, Hampstead, N.W.3, to FRONIE, wife of HUBERT S. RATCLIFFE—a son. (African and Australian papers, please copy.)

ROWLETT.—On June 17, 1930, at Lavender Cottage, Coulsdon, Surrey, to AUDREY and DOUGLAS ROWLETT—a son.

SOMERVAIL.—On June 15, 1930, at Glasgow, to MARGARET, wife of A. DUNCAN SOMERVAIL, Sudan Civil Service—a daughter.

STALKARTT.—On June 14, 1930, at a nursing home, Alverstoke, Hants, to MARJORY (née Furness), wife of GERALD J. F. STALKARTT, of Culmore, Beech Grove, Alverstoke, Hants—a daughter (JOAN MABEL).

TAUNTON.—On June 17, 1930, at a nursing home, Harpenden, to WENDY, wife of JOHN P. TAUNTON, South Hill, Roundwood Park, Harpenden—a daughter.

THOMAS.—On June 17, 1930, at 5, Wellington-place, Penzance, to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. VIVIAN THOMAS—a daughter.

VENNER.—On June 17, 1930, at "Littlecroft," 26, Wanstead-road, Bromley, Kent, to WINIFRED, wife of JOHN L. VENNER—a son.

WARING.—On June 14, 1930, at Nice, South of France, to EVALINE, wife of COLONEL A. H. WARING, D.S.O., late R.A.M.C.—a son.

WRIGHT.—On June 17, 1930, at Sussex House, W.9, to MILLY, wife of A. DICKSON WRIGHT—a daughter.

MARRIAGES

BARNES : COWAN.—On June 17, 1930, at Maresfield Parish Church, by the Rev. A. Dudley Ryder, JOHN REGINALD BARNES, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, of Aughton, Lancashire, to JEAN LINDSAY COWAN, only daughter of Sir Henry and Lady Cowan, of Crow's Nest, Fairwarp, Ashdown Forest, Sussex. (Australian and New Zealand papers, please copy.)

COKE : BARRY.—On June 14, 1930, at St. Albans Abbey, CECIL MERRIMAN COKE, of the Administration, Tanganyika Territory, to MARY BARRY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Barry, Pilgrims Rest, Transvaal, South Africa.

DYSON : ROCHFORD.—On June 18, 1930, at St. Joseph's Church, Waltham Cross, GEORGE EDWARD DYSON to LILIAN FRANCES ROCHFORD.

GRIFFITH : BURNE.—On June 18, 1930, at Christ Church, Leeson Park, Dublin, EDWARD ARTHUR BAYLY, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. GRIFFITH, of 22, Evelyn-gardens, S.W.7, to GRACE, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. BURNE, of 20, Waterloo-road, Dublin.

ISHAM : WINNEY.—On June 17, 1930, at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Quex-road, ERNEST HARRIGAN ISHAM, of Wimborne, Dorset, to BERTHA MARY, youngest daughter of WILLIAM HENRY WINNEY and the late Mrs. Winney, of Claremont, Brooksville-avenue, Brondesbury.

SCORER : RANSOME.—On June 17, 1930, at Holy Trinity Church, Claygate, EDWARD V. A. SCORER, elder son of Mrs. and the late A. E. Scorer, of Richmond, Surrey, to HIRIA MARY, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. JAMES RANSOME, of Claygate.

TUKE : UNDERWOOD.—On June 14, 1930, at St. Thomas's, Sydney, N.S.W., REGINALD GODFREY, youngest son of the late R. H. TUKE and of Mrs. Tuke, of Lossenham, Newenden, Kent, to DOROTHY BEATRICE, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. UNDERWOOD, of Strathpepper, Mosman.

WILLS : BJORKMAN.—On June 14, 1930, at Ewhurst Parish Church, by the Rev. W. H. Austwick, uncle of the bridegroom, and the Rev. J. B. Dollar, Rector of Ewhurst, LESLIE NORMAN, third son of Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR S. WILLS, of High Wykehurst, Ewhurst, Surrey, to SIGRID MAGGIE ELIZABET, only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. O. F. BJORKMAN, of Waby, Sweden.

GOLDEN WEDDING

VIGOR : JAMES.—On June 19, 1880, at St. Anne's, Limehouse, by the Rev. F. J. Hobbins, assisted by the Rev. S. Charlesworth, Rector, and the Rev. A. Melville, RUPERT HART VIGOR, third son of the late R. Vigor, of Millwall, to JESSY FRANCES, third daughter of THOMAS JAMES, of Cable-street, St. George's, and East India-road, Limehouse.

DEATHS

ANDERSON.—On June 17, 1930, at Ramsgate, JOHN COUSSMAKER ANDERSON, aged 78. Funeral, Saturday, 2.30, St. Lawrence.

ARNOLD.—On June 17, 1930, at the Old Grammar School, Stoke Golding, Nuneaton, MADELINE AUDREY MOORE ARNOLD, daughter of Thomas and Mary Arnold, of Brascote, Leicestershire.

ASPINALL.—On June 16, 1930, at "Luton Lodge," Torquay, ARCHIBALD ASPINALL. R.I.P.

BATTYE.—On June 16, 1930, at Worthing, JEMIMA, widow of JOHN HOWARD BATTYE, M.D., late of 84, Belgrave-road, S.W.1, beloved mother of Major T. H. Battye, Peshawar, and Mrs. Catherine Hoyle, of Bombay. Funeral at Brookwood to-morrow (Friday), 1 o'clock. Train from 121, Westminster Bridge-road, Necropolis private station, at 11.50. Flowers to Brookwood. (Indian papers, please copy.)

BELFITT.—On June 16, 1930, at Crossgates, Lawson-road, Sheffield, ROBERT BELFITT, J.P., in his 89th year. Funeral to-day (Thursday) at Ecclesall, 11 o'clock.

BIRNBAUM.—On June 17, 1930, ELLA, beloved wife of VICTOR BIRNBAUM, 6, Lydford-road, N.W.2. Cremation at Golders Green to-day (Thursday), at 11 a.m.

BOYD.—On Sunday, June 15, 1930, of illness contracted on active service, COMMANDER JAMES L. BOYD, D.S.O., R.N., of Glendeuglie, Glenfarg, Perthshire. Funeral at Glenfarg, Saturday, June 21.

BRYANT.—On June 17, 1930, at 81, Grove Park-road, Chiswick, THOMAS HUGH, dearly-beloved husband of EDMEE CHAUNCY BRYANT, aged 64. Funeral service to-morrow (Friday), at 11 o'clock, Old Chiswick Church.

CAMPBELL.—On June 17, 1930, at Woodlands, Boughton, Carlisle, HERBERT ERNEST CAMPBELL, Chancellor of Carlisle, aged 74. Funeral at Carlisle Cathedral, 12.30 p.m. to-morrow (Friday).

CARGILL.—On June 12, 1930, at Kumasi, Gold Coast Colony, as the result of an accident, WINIFRED DRUMMOND CARGILL, M.B., Ch.B., D.T.M. and H., elder daughter of the late W. D. and of Mrs. Cargill, Woodlands, Broughty Ferry, aged 29.

COLVILE.—On June 16, 1930, in a nursing home at Marseilles, ZÉLIE ISABELLE, widow of MAJOR-GENERAL SIR HENRY COLVILE, K.C.M.G., C.B., of Lullington, Derbyshire, and daughter of M. Pierre Richaud de Préville, Château des Moudrans, Orthez, Basses Pyrénées. Funeral at Orthez.

COODE.—On Monday, June 16, 1930, the result of a motor accident, LOVEDAY, dearly loved elder daughter of REAR-ADMIRAL C. P. R. COODE, of Monks Grove, Chertsey, aged 24. Funeral at Thorpe, near Chertsey, 3 p.m. to-day (Thursday).

COODE-ADAMS.—On June 17, 1930, at 16, Kensington Park-gardens, after long suffering most patiently borne, DAME BERTHA MARY, dearly loved wife of SIR JOHN COODE-ADAMS. Funeral service at St. Peter's, Bayswater, to-day (Thursday), at 2.45.

CRAWFORD.—On June 16, 1930, at 12, Shelley-road, Worthing, CAROLINE MATILDA (LINA), second daughter of the late REV. HENRY CRAWFORD, aged 84.

D'ARCY.—On June 15, 1930, suddenly, at 8, Hampstead-hill-gardens, N.W., COMTE D'ARCY. Funeral to-day (Thursday), at Ipswich Cemetery, 2.30 p.m. Requiem Mass on Saturday, June 28, at 11 a.m., at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Farm-street, W. R.I.P.

FABER.—On June 18, 1930, at Kinloch, Beckenham, EMMA, widow of GEORGE HENRY FABER. Funeral at St. John the Evangelist, Shirley, to-morrow (Friday), at 4 p.m. No flowers, by request.

FAIRBANK.—On June 16, 1930, at Heathlands, Sidmouth, JULIA S. FAIRBANK. Funeral at Highgate Cemetery to-day (Thursday), at 2 p.m.

DEATHS (continued)

GILBERT.—On June 16, 1930, at Whitehaven, Cavendish-road, Sutton, ELIZABETH NASH GILBERT, widow of William Gilbert, of The Rocks, East Malling, aged 96.

HALSE.—On June 17, 1930, at 68, Wentworth-road, N.W.11, JOSEPH HALSE, aged 78 years. Funeral at Highgate Cemetery to-morrow (Friday), at 11 a.m.

HARVEY.—On June 17, 1930, at Uckfield, LAURA A. P. HARVEY, widow of George E. Harvey, of Liverpool.

HOBSON.—On June 17, 1930, suddenly, after an operation, ELLEN MARY (NELLIE), elder daughter of the late STEPHEN J. HOBSON, of Regent's Park. Funeral service at Holy Trinity, Marylebone, at 11 a.m., Saturday next.

HUDSON.—On June 16, 1930, at Mayfield, Ashbourne, ROBERT HUDSON, late of Beck Hall, Billingford, Norfolk, aged 73. Funeral at Billingford to-day (Thursday), 3 p.m.

IVES.—On June 17, 1930, at 14, rue de Sevres, Boulogne-sur-Seine, France, EMILY ELIZA IVES.

JOHNSON.—On Friday, June 17, 1930, at Burley Lodge, Sevenoaks, ISABELLA MARY, last surviving daughter of EDWARD SIDNEY and ELIZABETH JOHNSON, of Lee, Kent, aged 83. Service St. Nicholas, Sevenoaks, to-morrow (Friday), at 11 a.m.

JOSEPH.—On June 18, 1930, at the Royal Palace Hotel, Kensington, COLEMAN JOSEPH, in his 74th year. Cortège leaves 39, Hyde Park-gate for the Willesden Jewish Cemetery, Beaconsfield-road, Willesden, to-morrow (Friday), at 10 a.m. No flowers, by request. (South African papers, please copy.)

KELLEY.—On June 17, 1930, suddenly, WILLIAM KELLEY, of 72, Ducks-hill, Northwood, late of the India Office.

KNYVETT.—On June 17, 1930, suddenly, in London, GODFREY DENZIL, son of the late ALEXANDER VANSITTART KNYVETT, late Inspector-General of Police, Bengal. Inquiries Tookey and Son, Welbeck 8714.

KORITSCHONER.—On June 18, 1930, DAVID KORITSCHONER, of 19, St. Ann's-terrace, N.W.8, in his 100th year. No flowers.

MARNO.—On June 18, 1930, at Wrexham, suddenly, CAPTAIN C. L. V. MARNO, of 11, Sloane-avenue, elder son of the late A. J. M. Marno and Mrs. L. Marno.

MOLESWORTH.—On June 16, 1930, in a nursing home in London, AGNES MARY, second daughter of the late THOMAS MOLESWORTH, Priest, M.A., C.F.

MOTTERAM.—On June 17, 1930, in a nursing home, after a short illness, HENRY PRINCE MOTTERAM, M.D., J.P., of Edgbaston, Birmingham.

NITSCHKE.—On June 17, 1930, at 18, Burnham-court, London, ANNA MARIA PRINCE, wife of RICHARD C. W. NITSCHKE, and daughter of the late Dr. Whittall, M.D., of South Australia. Funeral at Golders Green Crematorium to-morrow (Friday), at 11.30.

NOYES.—On June 15, 1930, at St. Leonards-on-Sea, OSCAR GEORGE NOYES, in his 73rd year. Interred at The Church-in-the-Wood, Hollington, June 18.

ORCHARD.—On June 15, 1930, at Vale of Clwyd Sanatorium, N. Wales, WILFRID JAMES ORCHARD, Imperial Bank of India. (Indian papers, please copy.)

PHILLIMORE.—On June 17, 1930, suddenly, at 25, Upper Phillimore-place, W.8, LUCY MARY (MOLLIE), widow of HUGH BOUCHIER PHILLIMORE, eldest daughter of the late Edward Henslowe Bedford. Cremation Golders Green Crematorium at 2 p.m. to-day (Thursday).

POOLMAN.—On June 17, 1930, ELSIE POOLMAN, wife of Dr. Poolman, of Osnaburgh House, Regent's Park, formerly Sister Martha, of Guy's Hospital.

PRESTON.—On June 9, 1930, suddenly, at his residence, Swainston, Co. Meath, ARTHUR JOHN PRESTON, B.A., J.P., late Major, H.M. Duke of Wellington's Regiment, aged 87 years.

PRICE.—On June 17, 1930, at Ilfracombe, the REV. EUSTACE DICKINSON PRICE (Kaisar-i-Hind Medal), formerly C.M.S. Missionary to the Ghonds, India, and lately Rector of Nymett Rowland and Coleridge, Devon.

RANDALL.—On June 18, 1930, at a nursing home, HENRY WILLIAM RANDALL, of Cintra, Northwood, aged 72. Funeral Holy Trinity, Northwood, Saturday, 11 o'clock.

STRONG.—On June 17, 1930, after an operation, LT.-COLONEL A. D. STRONG, D.S.O., Hodson's Horse, of White Lodge, Melton, Woodbridge, Suffolk. Funeral, Haslemere, Surrey, to-morrow (Friday), at 11.45 a.m.

TALBOT.—On June 8, 1930, at Dallas, Texas, U.S.A., BEATRICE C. TALBOT, daughter of the late George Hirtzel, of Exmouth, Devon. (By cable.)

TEESDALE.—On June 16, 1930, at "Hartwell," Warwick-gardens, Worthing, EMILY CHARLOTTE, eldest daughter of the late CHARLES LENNOX MOORE TEESDALE, in her 85th year.

WEBB.—On Whit Sunday, June 8, 1930, at Haifa, Palestine, after two days' illness, following an accident, FELICITY ANN, the only child of RICHARD and BEATRICE WEBB, Palestine Railways, lately of Sierra Leone, aged 17 months.

WHEADON.—On June 17, 1930, at Ilminster, passed peacefully away, ROBERT POOLE WHEADON, aged 82. Interment at Dinnington, to-morrow (Friday), 3 o'clock.

WOODLAND.—On June 16, 1930, at "Sea Breeze," Rottingdean, JULIA EVANS WOODLAND, widow of John Woodland, aged 76 years.

IN MEMORIAM
ON ACTIVE SERVICE

FIENNES.—In ever-loving memory of our eldest son, JOHN EUSTACE FIENNES, Captain, 1st Gordon Highlanders, who died of wounds at Duisan, on June 18, 1917, having been twice wounded previously during the War.

HANCOX.—In tender memory of LIEUT.-COLONEL H. P. HANCOX, formerly Commanding 2nd Battalion, R. Inniskilling Fusiliers, who died after a long illness, the result of active service, June 19, 1928. R.I.P.

HANCOX.—In tender memory of LIEUT.-COLONEL H. P. HANCOX, formerly Commanding 2nd Battalion, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, died as the result of active service, June 19, 1928, aged 61. R.I.P.

ROOKE.—In proud memory of CHARLES D. W. ROOKE, Lieut., The Cameronians, 1st Batt., Scottish Rifles, who was killed in action June 19, 1915.
Pro Rege et Patria.

BROWN.—In grateful memory of Mrs. MARY REBECCA BROWN, who died June 19, 1925, a generous benefactress by will of the National Hospital for Diseases of the Nervous System, Queen-square, W.C.1.

GILBURT.—In loving memory of BERT, who died June 19, 1925.

GODWIN-HAMMACK.—In ever loving memory of FLORENCE, devoted mother, who died June 19, 1920. R.I.P. Fiat Voluntas Tua.

MAULEVERER.—To the dear memory of FRANCIS MAULEVERER GOWAN MAULEVERER. Ever loved, ever missed by his devoted wife.

ROWE.—In unfading memory of GERTRUDE ANNE ROWE (Mrs. Clifford Rowe), who died June 19, 1929, by loving Sydenham friends who do not forget her charity and self-sacrifice.

FUNERAL

FIELDING-OULD.—The funeral of the REV. FIELDING FIELDING-OULD will take place to-morrow (Friday). Service at Christ Church, Albany-street, N.W.1, at 1.30. Interment at St. Stephen's Churchyard, St. Albans, at 2.45 p.m.

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LOST.—Monday night, Caledonian Ball, Grosvenor House, PLATINUM CHAIN NECKLACE about 20 pearls.—Sandeman, 28, Princes-gardens, S.W.7.

THE OLD GLENALMOND DINNER will be held at The CAFE ROYAL, Regent-street, on SATURDAY, 12th July, at 8 p.m.—Names to be sent to E. W. Neish, 10, Clarendon-crescent, Edinburgh.

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Ship.	Tons.	Commander.	London.	M'seilles.
Rajputana	16,600	Carter	—	June 20
*Rawalpindi	16,600	Pitts	June 20	June 27
Mooltan	21,000	Townshend	June 27	July 4
*Kaisar-i-Hind	11,500	Headlam	July 4	July 11
Mantua	11,000	Hignett	July 11	July 18
*Macedonia	11,000	Morton	July 18	July 25
Comorin	15,000	Cartwright	July 25	Aug. 1
†Rampura	16,000	Furlong	Aug. 1	Aug. 8
Malwa	11,000	Britten	Aug. 8	Aug. 15
*Ranchi	16,600	Brooks	Aug. 15	Aug. 22
Naldera	16,000	Harrison	Aug. 22	Aug. 29
*Viceroy of India	19,700	Ohlson	Aug. 29	Sept. 5
Morea	11,000	Holland	Sept. 5	Sept. 12
†Kaisar-i-Hind	11,500	Headlam	Sept. 12	Sept. 19

FORTNIGHTLY TO AUSTRALIA. From London and Marseilles.

Mooltan	21,000	Townshend	June 27	July 4
*Ballarat	13,000	Cotching	July 11	July 17
Comorin	15,000	Cartwright	July 25	Aug. 1
‡†Moldavia	16,500	Allin	Aug. 8	Aug. 14
Naldera	16,000	Harrison	Aug. 22	Aug. 29
‡†Mongolia	16,500	Rhodes	Sept. 5	Sept. 11
Narkunda	16,500	Parker	Sept. 19	Sept. 26
‡Cathay	15,000	Niven	Oct. 3	Oct. 9

‡ Taking also 3rd cabin passengers. * Taking one class only at 3rd cabin rates.

COLOMBO AND CALCUTTA. Calling at Southampton.

Bhutan (cargo)	6,000	—	June 20	—
Perim (cargo)	7,648	—	July 4	—
Burdwan (cargo)	6,000	—	July 18	—

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Rajputana	16,600	Carter	—	June 20
Borda (cargo)	11,000	—	June 20	—
Kashmir	9,000	Mallalue	June 26	—
Mantua	11,000	Hignett	July 11	July 18
Kashgar	9,000	Sudell	July 24	—
Malwa	11,000	Britten	Aug. 8	Aug. 15

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BOMBAY, PORT OKHA, AND/OR BEDI BUNDER (JAMNAGAR) AND KARACHI.

Ship.	Tons.	Mid'sbro.	Antwerp.	LONDON
‡*TREKIEVE	5,244	—	—	June 21
‡*BURDWAN	6,000	July 2	July 5	July 18
*A STEAMER	—	July 23	July 26	Aug. 2
*MUNDRA	7,275	Aug. 12	Aug. 16	Aug. 23

* Cargo Steamer. ‡ Calls Port Sudan. ¶ Transhipping Karachi cargo at Bombay.

COLOMBO, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

Ship.	Tons.	Antwerp.	Mid'sbro.	LONDON
‡MASHOBRA	8,324	—	June 21	June 28
‡MANDALA	8,246	June 25	July 5	July 12
‡MANELA	8,303	July 9	July 19	July 26
MERKARA	8,284	July 23	Aug. 2	Aug. 9

‡ Calls Tangier. ‡ Calls Port Sudan.

PORT SUDAN, ADEN, AND EAST AFRICAN PORTS.

Ship.	Tons.	Antwerp.	Mid'sbro.	LONDON	M'seilles.
‡MALDA	8,900	—	June 25	July 4	July 12
‡MODASA	9,070	July 12	July 23	Aug. 1	Aug. 9
MADURA	9,077	Aug. 9	Aug. 20	Aug. 29	Sept. 6
MATIANA	9,067	Sept. 6	Sept. 17	Sept. 26	Oct. 4

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ORVIETO	12,000	Aug. 30	Sept. 5	Sept. 7
ORONTES	20,000	Sept. 13	Sept. 19	Sept. 21
ORONSAY	20,000	Sept. 27	Oct. 3	Oct. 5
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abCity of London	8,956	Sept. 16	Bombay and Karachi
aCity of Nagpur	10,138	Sept. 27	Bombay and Karachi
City of Exeter	9,447	Oct. 1	Colombo and Calcutta
abCity of Simla	9,468	Oct. 4	Bombay and Karachi
bcCity of Canterbury	8,421	Oct. 11	Madras and Calcutta
aCity of Paris	10,902	Oct. 14	Bombay and Karachi
dbCity of Venice	8,308	Oct. 24	Bombay and Karachi
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*ARLANZA	14,930	July 18	—
†DESEADO	11,477	—	July 19
ASTURIAS (M.V.)	22,071	Aug. 1	—
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Preliminary particulars should be sent to the above address as early as possible.

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BEDFORD COLLEGE for WOMEN
(University of London),
Regent's Park, N.W.1.
The Council of Bedford College invite APPLICATIONS for the POST of ASSISTANT in the DEPARTMENT of MODERN HISTORY, vacant 1st September, 1930. Open to men and women equally.
Candidates must have an honours degree in Modern History. Salary £250, rising to £300.
Last date for receiving applications, 28th June, 1930.
For further particulars apply the Secretary.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.
FORTHCOMING EXAMINATIONS.—Probationary Assistant Engineers in the Engineering Department of the Post Office (20-25, with extension in certain cases), 10th July. Male Assistant Preventive Officers in the Waterguard Service of the Customs and Excise Department (19-21, with extension in certain cases), 17th July. Typists and Clerk Typists (Female) in the Civil Service (18-28), 24th July. Aircraft Apprentices (15-17) and Apprentice Clerks (15½-17) in the Royal Air Force, 28th August.
The dates specified above are the latest on which application forms can be received. Regulations and particulars, together with the forms on which applicatio[illegible] must be made, will be sent in response to requ[illegible] (preferably by postcard) addressed to the Secretar[illegible] Service Commission, Burlington-gardens, London [illegible]

THE PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE invite A[illegible] TIONS for APPOINTMENT to vacancies [illegible] ASSISTANT KEEPERS in that Office. [illegible] must have attained the age of 22 and m[illegible] attained the age of 26 on the 1st April, [illegible]; they should possess a University honours degree or other equivalent qualification in Classics, Law, or History, and they must have such knowledge of Latin and French as to fit them for the post.
The commencing salary is £200 a year, rising by annual increments to £500 (men) or £400 (women), with prospects of further promotion; in addition the current Civil Service Cost of Living bonus is payable (at present £99 on a salary of £200).
Applications should be addressed to the Deputy Keeper of the Records, Public Record Office, Chancery-lane, W.C.2, and must reach him not later than the 2nd July. Full regulations and a form of application will then be sent to the prospective candidate; the latter, duly filled in, must reach the Deputy Keeper not later than the 10th July.

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Application must be made on a form to be obtained from the Director, National Physical Laboratory, Teddington, to whom it should be returned not later than June 30th, 1930.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OF GREAT BRITAIN.
The Department of Scientific and Industrial Research are about to NOMINATE CANDIDATES for TWO VACANCIES for GEOLOGISTS on the Geological Survey of Great Britain.
Candidates must have attained the age of 21, but must not have attained the age of 30 on the 1st April, 1930. In reckoning age for competition certain allowances will be made for service in H.M. Forces.
Candidates will be expected to have had a sound general training in Geology, equivalent to that required for a University Honours Degree; experience of post-graduate work in Geology and knowledge of French, German, or both, will be regarded as important qualifications.
Regulations and particulars, together with the appropriate application form, may be obtained from the Director, Geological Survey and Museum, 28, Jermyn-street, S.W.1. The application forms should be returned to the Director, Geological Survey and Museum, not later than 9th July, 1930.

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There will be a VACANCY in September for an ASSISTANT MISTRESS to take Commercial Subjects and also to give some help in a subsidiary subject, preferably in Modern Languages, though this is not essential. Applicants should hold a degree in Commerce or Modern Languages and should give evidence of sound training in Commercial Subjects.
Immediate application should be made to the Head Mistress at the School.
E. SALTER DAVIES, Director of Education.

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The Governors of the above Polytechnic invite APPLICATIONS for the POST of PRINCIPAL. The appointment will date from the 1st January, 1931.
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Candidates must be Graduates of a University of the British Empire.
Personal canvassing of the Governors will be regarded as a disqualification.
On receipt of stamped and addressed foolscap envelope full particulars and form of application will be forwarded. The last date for receiving applications is the 27th June, 1930.
W. M. MACBETH, Clerk.

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D. E. H. ROBERTS, Acting Clerk to the Governors of Ruthin School, Ruthin, North Wales.

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MONTAGU H. COX,
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WANTED, Post offering scope for initiative, administrative and organizing ability, by woman of 32; good appearance and address; matriculated, widely travelled; thoroughly experienced in secretarial duties, bookkeeping, finance; accustomed general office management and every responsibility.—Write Box 4742, The Times, 42, Wigmore-street, W.1.

YOUNG Gentleman (27), active, engaging personality, seeks employment; willing to take any work where there is a chance to better himself.—Write Box K.753, The Times, E.C.4.

YOUNG Man, 21, seeks temporary post; bookkeeping, statistics, office routine, shorthand, typing; six years' experience.—Hanson, 33, Upper Berkeley-street, W.1.

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GIFTED young Advertisement Copywriter urgently wants position, agency or large firm; executive ability; job involving wide travel particularly welcomed. May I come and see you?—Laurence Butcher, 69, Grosvenor-park, Camberwell, London.

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SPORTS Cartoonist, with confidence and ability, but lacking influence or scope, solicits interest of any British newspapers; published specimens gladly submitted.—"Cartoonist," care of Central Y.M.C.A., Tottenham Court-road, W.C.1.

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CONFIDENTIAL Secretary, 15 years' first-class experience, seeks post offering wider scope; accustomed to controlling staff; shorthand, typing, accounts, French.—Write Box 7984, The Times, 42, Wigmore-street, W.1.

EDUCATED Englishwoman, high-class experience, desires secretarial position; expert stenographer, accounts, French and German.—Write Box 06036, The Times, 72, Regent-street, W.1.

LADY Secretary desires permanent or temporary post; good shorthand, typing, bookkeeping, and initiative; French (acquired abroad); experienced; salary 70s.—No. 447, The Ladies' League Agency, 118, New Bond-street, W.1.

LADY, early 30's, educated, trained Secretary and Accountancy, expert motorist and airwoman, experience foreign travel, desires congenial travelling post, anywhere.—Write Box 305, Sells, Fleet-street, E.C.4.

PRIVATE Secretary (lady, 29) desires post with principal of busy firm; expert stenographer, bookkeeping, French, German; accustomed to responsibility; salary £312 per annum.—Write Box 9100, The Times, 42, Wigmore-street, W.1.

YOUNG Lady, 23 (ex-Cambs), varied experience, seeks responsible position; scope for brains, energy, initiative; widely travelled; athletic.—Write Box 06065, The Times, 72, Regent-street, W.1.

LADY Secretary seeks private post, shorthand, typing, Latin, French, German, bookkeeping and all office duties; salary £4.—No. 449, The Ladies' League Agency, 118, New Bond-street, W.1.

BETTER class applicants (M.A.'s, B.A.'s, Secretaries, Linguists, and Juniors), are at the Institute of Women Secretaries, Ltd. (Temple Bar 9058), 12, Henrietta-street, W.C.2.

DOMESTIC SITUATIONS VACANT

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LADY Nurse or Nursery Governess, experienced, 24-32, for Torquay district; two children, 4½-6. Must thoroughly understand health. Nursery routine; good needlewoman essential.—Write, stating full particulars, experience, salary required, Box K.714, The Times, E.C.4.

MATRON required, in September, for boarding house, Westminster School, Dean's Yard; trained nurse with school experience if possible; age 40-50.—Write fully, J. S. Rudwick, Esq., 29A, Great College-street, S.W.1.

MATRON wanted, boys' preparatory school, September term; trained, with experience, essential.—Write Box K.801, The Times, E.C.4.

NURSERY Governess wanted from September for South Wales; must be experienced.—Write Box J.229, The Times, E.C.4.

WANTED, Lady Nurse-Companion for elderly, nervous invalid lady; professional family (three); maid kept.—Write "R.," Field Head, Dallington-avenue, Northampton.

WANTED, Holiday Governess, no lessons, from August 25th for one month, to take entire charge of three boys home from preparatory school, ages 11, 10½, 9½; 30 miles from London.—Write, stating salary required, Box 2982, Scripps's, South Molton-street, W.1.

GOVERNESSES and Nursery Governesses required, Scotland, girl 12, £120; Town, children 7, 5, £100. Many others.—Mrs. Boucher, Ltd., 6, Basil-street, Knightsbridge.

COMPANION-GOVERNESS, two girls, 10 and 5, England and America, £120; Nursery ditto, with fluent French, boy 8 and girl 7, Town and abroad, £100; ditto, two girls, 6 and 3, Town and South France, £65; ditto, girl 5½ (Kindergarten wanted), China, £70 to begin; Lady Nurse, Truby King method, girl and boy, 1 and 2, £70-£80, Surrey; trained Nurse-Companion, willing to be useful, Hampstead, £100; Musical Lady (under 40) for hotel reception work; Lady Help, girl 12 at day school, good needlewoman, Highgate, £52. Others.—The Ladies' League Agency, 118, New Bond-street, W.1.

FRENCH or Swiss Nursery Governess, 25-30; experienced; entire charge girl 4½; sewer. Others.—Anglo French Bureau, 308, Regent-street.

EXPERIENCED Lady Nurse required; not over 35; boy three; country; good references.—Write Box B.349, The Times, E.C.4.

EXPERIENCED Lady Nurse required, gentlewoman essential, for girl of 3 and supervise boy of 10; must be a real child-lover and of calm and sympathetic disposition; nursery housemaid kept; London 20 miles.—Wallis, Court Lodge, Westerham, Kent.

LADY Nurses required; Surrey, £120; Egypt, Czecho-Slovakia, £100; Paris, £95; Australia, India, Sussex, £80; Hungary (R.C.), £72; France, £70. Others Mrs. Boucher, Ltd., 6, Basil-street, Knightsbridge.

LADIES' MAIDS AND MAIDS

CAN any lady recommend superior Maid, preferably French, to a lady in delicate health? Good needlewoman and dressmaker essential; London and the South of France.—Write Box N.1248, The Times, E.C.4.

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USEFUL Maid required for Wiltshire; fond of dogs and country; good needlewoman.—Write Box S.1018, The Times, E.C.4.

USEFUL Maid, Surrey; English or Scandinavian, with some knowledge of English; sewing and help with two girls, 9, 7½, at school mornings; good needlewoman essential.—Write Box K.717, The Times, E.C.4.

USEFUL Sewingmaid, some light housework, required for country; own room.—Write to Lady Heath, Ebernoe House, near Petworth, Sussex.

GOOD Lady's Maid, French or Swiss; obliging; Town, country, some travelling; £65-£72, according; immediately.—Anglo-French Bureau, 308, Regent-street.

LADY HOUSEKEEPERS, HOUSEKEEPERS, AND COOKS

COOK-HOUSEKEEPER wanted for widower; alone; town Hampshire border; help given; age not over 45.—Write, stating age, salary, experience, references, Box K.795, The Times, E.C.4.

REQUIRED, August 1st, Assistant Housekeeper for trained nurses' institute; age not over 30; salary £50 per annum.—Apply Superintendent, 6, Porchester-square, W.2.

WANTED for Wales, middle-aged Cook-Housekeeper to take entire charge; house-parlourmaid and betweenmaid kept; two in family; good salary offered; comfortable bed room and meals with maids; personal references required; house just outside town.—Write Box K.794, The Times, E.C.4.

WORKING Housekeeper to run country cottage for a few months; help given; good cooking and good personal references essential; child over 12 not objected to.—Lushington, Pigeon Hoo, Tenterden, Kent.

WANTED, experienced Cook; kitchen and scullery maid kept; two in family; 14 staff; comfortable place; good wages.—Write full particulars Lady Tate, Galltfaenan, Trefnant, N. Wales.

COOK required early in July; family five adults; staff seven, including butler and kitchenmaid; must be very good cook and manager and have excellent references; wages according to age and experience.—Mrs. Whittington, Goring Heath, near Reading.

COOK, single-handed, for family of two and a nursery; wages £50-£65.—Apply Mrs. Western, 44, Lansdowne-crescent, London, W.11.

COOK and Parlourmaid, sisters or friends, required; experienced; four in family; four kept; good wages, comfortable home.—Mrs. Smyth, Little Garth, Old-avenue, Weybridge.

COOK, good single-handed; family two, maids three; London; reference.—Write or call to-day, 3 to 6, Mrs. E. B., 38, Albert-court, Princes-gate, S.W.7.

GOOD Cook or Cook-General wanted at once; three in family, two maids kept; good wages; help given.—Write full particulars, Mrs. B., Seafield, Sea View, I.W.

GOOD plain Cook, Single-handed; small family; age 25-40; good wages; separate bed room; house-parlourmaid kept, and daily help given; experienced; good reference essential.—Apply Mrs. Higgins, "Greenmantle," Rose-walk, Purley.

GOOD permanent Cook wanted; three to four in family, two in nursery, two nurses, five in staff; good wages; good references essential.—Write fully Mrs. Charles Baker, Letcombe Manor, Wantage.

GOOD Cook required; kitchen and scullerymaids kept; country summer, S. of France winter; age 35-45; thoroughly experienced; interview essential.—Mrs. Franklin, Chartridge Lodge, Chesham, Bucks.

GOOD Plain Cook required for country; kitchenmaid kept; own room.—Write to Lady Heath, Ebernoe House, near Petworth, Sussex.

LADY Cook and Lady House-Parlourmaid required to work a small house in Guildford, with help for rough; two in family; every convenience; buses pass the gates; only those with long personal references of similar posts need apply; please state age, salary, and references when writing and when free.—Write Box K.743, The Times, E.C.4.

MRS. Meade-Waldo requires a good Cook, June 28th; family three, three in kitchen.—Stonewall Park, Chiddingstone, Kent.

ST. Albans.—Wanted, middle July, superior person, experienced plain cooking, house duties; help given; three in family.—Write Mrs. Straker, 134, Clarence-road, St. Albans, Herts.

WANTED immediately for country house, Temporary Cook (Good Plain) for month or two; usual wages; four in family, seven in servants' hall; would take man if good cook, or sisters (cook and kitchenmaid).—Apply Box 8664, W. H. Smith and Son, Ltd., Hemel Hempstead, Herts.

DOMESTIC SITUATIONS VACANT (continued)

WANTED, good plain Cook; very comfortable home; small, modern, convenient house, country, close village and bus route; two in family; house-parlourmaid kept; suit widow with child school age; good wages.—Apply Mrs Waterlow, Wilmots, Wickham, Hants.

WANTED, good Cook for Mayfield, Sussex; widow with little child would suit; comfortable home; good wages; two other maids kept; family two, sometimes three.—Write Box B.336, The Times, E.C.4.

WORKING Housekeeper, small modern house; small family; good plain cooking essential; good wages.—Mrs. Neal, 10, Meadway, Hampstead Garden Suburb.

WOULD any lady kindly recommend good Daily Cook for flat in Ashley-gardens? Housemaid and parlourmaid kept.—Write Box 0272, The Times, 72, Regent-street, W.1.

COOKS, House-Parlourmaids, Generals, &c.—Well-paid vacancies at Mrs. Lewis's Registry, 27A, The Parade, Golders Green. 'Phone, Speedwell 5271-2. Also at 233A, Finchley-road, N.W.3 (next door to Met. Station). Hamp. 6693. No fees.

COOKS (Chef-trained and with Kitchenmaids) wanted for good situations, Town and Country; Permanent and temporary; good references.—Abbey's Agency, 37, Berners-street, W.1. Museum 1373, 6053.

CANADA (Ontario).—Cook wanted for good-class household; £10 monthly; family three, staff four.—British Empire Bureau, 57, Edgware-road, W.2.

CANADA. Toronto.—Cook, kitchenmaid kept; seven servants (nearly all English); $75 monthly; servants stay.—Mrs. Hunt, Ltd., 86, High-street, Marylebone, London, W.1. No charge to permanent cooks.

COOK-GENERAL, age 25-35; small non-basement house; house-parlourmaid kept; good wages and outings; reference essential.—Mrs. Moore, 2, Boundary-road, St. John's Wood, N.W.8. Primrose 1040.

COOK-GENERAL, experienced, required; highest reference; one lady in family; house-parlourman kept.—Mrs. Reader, Eastwick House, Bookham, Leatherhead, Surrey.

COOK-GENERAL and House-Parlourmaid wanted for Surrey; two family; modern conveniences; comfortable; references essential.—Write fullest particulars age and wages, to Box J.247, The Times, E.C.4.

EXPERIENCED Cook-General and House-Parlourmaid wanted July 4; good references essential.—Apply Mrs. Ollivant, Wychbury, East Hill, Winchester.

DAILY Cook-General, experienced; modern flat, Baker-street; 10 a.m. till after dinner; two in family; two maids; country cottage alternate week-ends.—Write Box 4698, The Times, 42, Wigmore-street, W.1.

GENTLEWOMAN, 25-35, as Cook-General; two in family; daily housemaid; good plain cooking; uniform; Sussex in winter; references.—Mrs. Swayne-Jones, Mullion, Cornwall.

GOOD Cook-General and House-Parlourmaid (butler kept); three in family.—Apply Osborn, "Westwood," Snakes-lane, Woodford Green, Essex. Buckhurst 2375.

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COOK-GENERAL; small house; two in family, two maids; separate bed rooms; good outings; £52. No fees.—Jessie Fraser (Agent), 11A, Church-street, Kensington. Western 6636. 'Buses stop at door.

COOK-GENERAL wanted to manage widower's small, modern house.—(Mr. R.), Scotch Registry, 17A, Station-road, W. Croydon. (No fees.)

ENGLISH or Scotch girl as Cook-General required by American lady wishing to interview persons already on States quota for last of August.—Write Box 849, Harrods Advertising Agency, S.W.1.

SERVANTS of all classes wanted for Town and country; permanent or temporary.—Johnson's Agency, 113, Gloucester-road, S.W.7.

HELPS AND NURSES

GENTLEWOMAN required as Mother's Help; maid kept.—Mrs. Lane, Lindenville, Kettering, Northants.

LADY Help, not entirely as family, but every consideration and quiet home; capable, kindly person; good cook; help rough; family two; references, particulars.—Write Box K.798, The Times, E.C.4.

LADY Help, good cook, for small modern cottage, West Byfleet; £52; comfortable home; every consideration shown; state age; Swiss nurse-housemaid kept family three.—Write Box S.1047, The Times, E.C.4.

CAN any lady recommend French or Swiss Protestant Nurse? Boy five years, baby later; returning India in spring.—Write, stating wages, &c., Box B.342, The Times, E.C.4.

CAN any lady personally recommend thoroughly trustworthy Nurse for little boy of 21 months? Age 28-30; must be excellent needlewoman, knitter, and smocker.—Mrs. E. Boyle, Bisbrooke Hall, Uppingham, Rutland.

CAN any lady recommend experienced trustworthy Nurse, aged 25 to 32, preferably R.C. but not essential? one little girl 2½; good references; needlewoman; required 30th June.—Write, stating wages and experience, to Mrs. Worthington, Sherwood, Downside, Epsom.

HOLIDAY Nurse or Help required 29th July; take charge and amuse two boys aged 7 and 9; small remuneration and expenses Cornish holiday.—Mrs. Southey, Korner House, Burgess Hill, Sussex.

LADY (young) wanted, care of two children, month August, Woolacombe, Devon; reference required.—Mrs. Woodcock, Newfield, Haslingden, Lancs.

NANNIE (30-40) required early July for boy of three; India October.—Write Mrs. Elliott, Plascoch Hotel, Bala, Merionethshire.

RESPONSIBLE Woman take charge girl five and assist housework; maid kept; good salary and outings; Surrey (near London).—Write Box B.343, The Times, E.C.4.

WANTED, Nurse, temporary, early July, take baby from month for three or four months.—Apply, stating experience, age, wages, Cracroft, Torwood, Farnborough, Hants.

FRANCE, country; £72; good Nurse, R.C. preferred; child 2½; little French. Children's Maid, some experience; Protestant; children 2½-6 months; 300frs. monthly.—Anglo-French Bureau, 308, Regent-street.

HOUSE, KITCHEN AND SCULLERY MAIDS

EXPERIENCED Under Housemaid wanted immediately; staff 10; good wages.—Apply Lady Dennis, Grafham Grange, Bramley, Surrey.

HOUSEMAID, experienced; small family; no basement; three maids.—Write, or 'phone Hampstead 5466, for appointment, 45, Arkwright-road, Hampstead.

EXPERIENCED Housemaid wanted; cook, house-parlourmaid kept, help given; house on two floors; good outings and wages; personal references essential.—Mrs. Cohen, 3, Frognal-lane, Hampstead.

EXPERIENCED Housemaid, with help, wanted; needlework, waiting; two in family; modern house, country village.—Evan, Shortacres, Nutfield, Surrey.

EXPERIENCED Housemaid required for Woolwich, middle July; staff six.—Write Wagstaff, 8, St. James's-place, S.W.1.

TWO Housemaids wanted, equal, age 20-25; good wages and outings.—Apply Mrs. Petersen, The Lea, Esher, Surrey.

WANTED for Paris, a single-handed Housemaid; personal references necessary; journey to England for holiday paid yearly; good wages.—Apply by letter Mrs. Bingham, Oakleigh, Hampstead-lane, London.

WESTMINSTER.—Experienced Housemaid, 22-27, required for entirely modernized flat; all duties with cook-housekeeper; three in family; good wages; attractive position for suitable maid.—Write, stating experience, wages expected, to Box A.1362, The Times, E.C.4.

£50.—Thoroughly experienced Housemaid required for small house in Worthing where cook is kept; two only in family; must be able to wait at table and have good references; liberal outings.—Apply personally or by letter, "Westende," Marine-parade, West Worthing.

HOUSEMAIDS, singlehanded, required for good situations, London.—Apply Universal Aunts, Ltd., 37, Wilton-place, Knightsbridge, S.W.1.

HOUSEMAIDS (Single-handed) urgently required; many good situations now waiting.—Call or write Mrs Abbey's Agency, 37, Berners-street, W.1.

HOUSEMAID wanted for Town; £45; two in family, three servants.—Apply National Employment Bureau, 189, North End-road, West Kensington, W.14. No fee. Fulham 0222.

R.C. Housemaid for Wimbledon; very easy, comfortable place; good wages and outings; no basement; own room; one lady; cook and parlourmaid; no fee.—Mrs. Hunt, Ltd., 86, High-street, Marylebone, W.1. Call, write or 'phone Welbeck 7777.

£45.—Housemaid required for Bucks (Taplow); own room; three family; married couple kept.—Apply Mrs. Hunt, Ltd., 86, High-street, Marylebone, London, W.1. No charge.

KITCHENMAID wanted; good wages and outings.—Apply Mrs. Petersen, The Lea, Esher, Surrey.

COUNTRY Girl wanted as Single-handed Kitchenmaid under very good cook, who will take a personal interest; no basement.—Write Box K.787, The Times, E.C.4.

SECOND Kitchenmaid required, country and London, July 1st; scullerymaid from large kitchen wishing to better herself would suit; age not under 19; good wages; uniform found.—Apply Secretary, Leweston Manor, Sherborne.

WANTED, Kitchenmaid, under cook, age 20-21; experienced and good references essential; interview 1-2.30 or after 7 p.m.—Mrs. G., 93, Bedford-gardens, W.8.

SCULLERYMAID required to work under cook and kitchenmaid; staff nine; good wages.—Apply by letter, Miss Benson, Barn Ridge, South Nutfield.

PARLOURMAIDS AND HOUSE-PARLOURMAIDS

PARLOURMAID required; housemaid kept; two in family; good outings and holidays.—Apply after 7 o'clock, or write 1, Cumberland House, Kensington-court, W.8.

CAN any lady recommend thoroughly experienced single-handed Parlourmaid? Good valet and silver cleaner essential.—Mrs. Combe, Querns, Goring Heath, Oxon (near Reading.)

WANTED, two gentlewomen as Parlourmaid and Housemaid in orphanage run by gentlefolk; three maids kept; every consideration; a really happy job for child lovers.—Write Box K.808, The Times, E.C.4.

PARLOURMAID, £52, and Housemaid, £48, wanted for flat in Town; three maids.—Victoria Domestic Agency, 205, Victoria-street, S.W.1. No fee.

BIARRITZ.—Parlourmaid (head of three) required immediately; age 30 to 35; tall; good wages.—Regina Bureau (Dept. 17), 28, Thomas-street, Grosvenor-square.

HOUSE-PARLOURMAID wanted, experienced; own bath and separate bed room, no basement, boots, knives or washing; wages about £48.—Mrs. Beddow, 147 Auckland-road, Upper Norwood, S.E.19.

HOUSE-PARLOURMAID (thoroughly experienced) required Tuesdays and Thursdays in easy flat.—Write, stating references, Lady M., No. 12, 181, Queen's-gate, S.W.7.

HOUSE-PARLOURMAID required July 7th for North Devon; two in family, three servants kept; good home and wages.—Write Box K.815, The Times, E.C.4.

HOUSE-PARLOURMAID and Cook-General wanted at once, friends if possible; three in family; help given; two maids kept; good wages, &c.; excellent references essential.—Write full particulars, Mrs. B., Seafield, Sea View, I.W.

HOUSE-PARLOURMAID, young, flat, at once; Protestant; cook-general kept; personal reference.—Write Mrs. Smith, 53, Ashley-gardens, Westminster, S.W.1.

GOOD House-Parlourmaid wanted; two in family; personal reference.—Miss Nesbitt, Copthall, Chipperfield, King's Langley.

TEMPORARY House-Parlourmaid wanted for summer months, small country house; two in family and son week-ends; £1 weekly.—Mrs. Hanrott, The Orchard, Woldingham.

HOUSE-PARLOURMAID; non-basement; small family, two servants; separate bed room; £52. No fees.—Jessie Fraser (Agent), 11A, Church-street, W.8. Western 6636. 'Buses stop at door.

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BETWEENMAIDS, GENERALS, AND LAUNDRYMAIDS

BETWEENMAID, 16-18; three in family, four maids kept.—Mrs. W., 24, Queen Anne-street, W.1.

GENTLEMAN requires immediately, General (20-30) for morning work and charge of very modern flat.—Call at once, Top-floor Flat, St. John's House, Smith-square, Westminster.

GENERAL wanted for flat in Town; £52-£54; two in family; comfortable situation.—Apply National Employment Bureau, 189, North End-road, West Kensington, W.14. Fulham 0222.

GENERAL Maids required for good situations, London.—Apply Universal Aunts, Ltd., 37, Wilton-place, Knightsbridge, S.W.1.

MARRIED COUPLES AND MENSERVANTS

MARRIED ex-Serviceman, own employment, offered basement rooms; help as oddman; wife £40, housework; no children; C. of E.—Coote, 38, Connaught-square, W.2, after 5.

MARRIED Couple required for Woolwich, middle July; experienced Cook and House-Parlourman; staff six; kitchenmaid kept.—Write Wagstaff, 8, St. James's-place, S.W.1.

MARRIED Couple as Cook-General and Gardener-Handyman; family one lady; pleasant, comfortable situation; £100; state ages.—Mrs. Wetbury, care of British Agency, Carfax, Horsham. (No fees.)

CAN anyone recommend excellent woman with young daughter, or useful man and wife, for charge of week-end and holiday cottage at Walton-on-the-Hill? Extra maid for holidays; all modern conveniences.—Write Mrs. Pollen, 32, Wilton-place, S.W.

EXPERIENCED Married Couple to work convenient country house near Maidenhead; family in residence week-ends and school holidays only; wages according to experience; all found.—Apply by letter only, 14, York House, Kensington.

GENTLEMAN living alone requires Married Couple as Cook and Parlourman for small house; is out to most meals and away most week-ends; good plain cooking and highest references essential; £110-£120.—State ages, &c., to "Bachelor," care of British Agency, Carfax, Horsham. (No fees.)

MAN and wife wanted at once, doctor's house West End; man as Hallman, &c., and wife Cook-General.—Write Box 4717, The Times, 42, Wigmore-street, W.1

REQUIRED at once, mother and son or brother and sister as Cook-General, man to help in house, garden and kennels.—Critchley-Salmonson, Tytherton, Chippenham.

YOUNG Married Couple required, Gardening, House-work, plain Cooking; £2 weekly.—Newlands College, Weston Green, Thames Ditton.

WANTED, experienced Married Couple as Butler-Valet and Cook-General; four in family; no basement; labour-saving devices; wages £100.—Apply Atkinson, Turret House, Portchester, Hants.

MARRIED Couple, Cook and House-Parlourman; very excellent situation; easy worked house; own sitting room; good wages.—Bruton's Agency, 14, St. George's-place, Canterbury.

EXPERIENCED Married Couples, Cooks and Parlourmen, £120; Cook-Generals and House-Parlourmen, £104; Cook-Generals and Garden Handymen, £85, required.—New Agency, Pierrepont-street, Bath. Tele. 3539.

A Married Couple (Cook-General and Chauffeur-Handyman) wanted for Town; £100-£110; small family.—Apply National Employment Bureau, 189, North End-road, West Kensington, W.14. No fee. Fulham 0222.

FOOTMAN, experienced in good private service flats; livery supplied; sleep in.—Call 11, Park-lane, W.1.

WANTED, useful Man to do dormitories and a little cooking.—Grove Park School, Kingsbury, N.W.9. Colindale Station.

WANTED, young Man as Cook to gentleman in his London flat; preferably trained under chef.—Write particulars age, experience, wage asked (no original references to be sent) to Box K894, Willings, 86, Strand, W.C.2.

WANTED, Chauffeur-Electrician and Estate Handyman; must also be able to do general carpentry and plumbing.—Apply, giving full particulars, to G. Trimmer Thompson, Cayton Park, Henley-on-Thames.

TEMPORARY Footman, under butler, required 1st-23rd July; 18s.-20s. weekly. Call at once.—Mrs. Hunt, Ltd., 86, High-street, Marylebone, W.1. Tele., Welbeck 7777. No engagement, no fee.

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Dated this 18th day of June, 1930.
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Dated this 16th day of June, 1930.
By Order of the Board
P. LAWRENCE Secretary

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Folio 150 of 1930. J. No. 969.
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IN the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 18th December 1929, by Charles Arthur Rowles of 8, Old Cavendish Street, W.1 trading as "C. A. Rowles," Costumier. The CREDITORS of the above named CHARLES ARTHUR ROWLES, who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 23rd day of July, 1930, to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to Mr H. A. Oldacre of 77, Welbeck Street, London, W.1, Chartered Accountant, the Trustee under the said Deed or in default thereof shall be excluded from the benefit of the dividend proposed to be declared.
Dated this 16th day of June, 1930.
H. A. OLDACRE, Trustee.

IN the Estate of ROWLAND HILL NEW deceased. Pursuant to the Trustee Act 1925. All persons having any CLAIMS against the ESTATE of ROWLAND HILL NEW of 19 Hova Villas, Hove, Sussex, Indian Government Service (Retired) who died on the 4th May 1930 (at Yew Tree House, Westfield, Sussex and Probate of whose Will was granted by the Principal Probate Registry on the 14th June 1930 to Grindlay & Company Limited whose registered office is at 54 Parliament Street in the City of Westminster, Bankers and Agents the Executor named in the Will) are hereby required to send particulars to us the undersigned on or before the 21st August 1930 after which date the said Grindlay & Company Limited as such Executor will proceed to distribute the Estate of the deceased having regard only to the claims then notified.
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JESSIE TAYLOR deceased. Pursuant to the Trustee Act 1925, section 27 (as amended) Notice is hereby given:—
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2. That after that day the said executor will proceed to convey and distribute the assets of the deceased to or among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so conveyed or distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.
Dated this 16th day of June 1930.
HARRY H. HOWELLS Corn Exchange Chambers Newport Mon. Solicitor for the said executor.

JANET KIRKALDY, deceased. Pursuant to the Trustee Act 1925, Section 27 (as amended) notice is hereby given:—
1. That all CREDITORS and persons having any claims upon or against the estate of the above named JANET KIRKALDY late of "Ferniehurst" 24 Albany Park Kingston-on-Thames in the County of Surrey deceased who died intestate on the 10th day of March 1930 and to whose estate Letters of Administration were granted on the 13th day of June 1930 to Miss Jane Willis Kirkaldy the Administratrix by the Principal Probate Registry are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said Administratrix on or before the 30th day of August 1930.
2. That after that day the said Administratrix will proceed to convey and distribute the assets of the deceased to or among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said Administratrix shall then have had notice, and that she will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so conveyed or distributed to any person of whose claim she shall not then have had notice.
Dated this 17th day of June 1930.
MARSDEN BURNETT & DAVY, 11, Henrietta street, Cavendish Square, W.1. Solicitors for the Administratrix.

MRS. MARY ANNE JOICEY deceased. All persons having CLAIMS against the ESTATE of Mrs. MARY ANNE JOICEY deceased late of 9 Lennox Gardens, London, W., Widow, who died on the 11th day of June 1930 are requested forthwith to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned.
DEES & THOMPSON, 117 Pilgrim Street, Newcastle upon Tyne. Solicitors of the Executor.

Law Report, June 18

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

PROBATE, DIVORCE, AND ADMIRALTY DIVISION

DECREE NISI AGAINST PEER'S DAUGHTER

MAUDE v. MAUDE AND SEELY

(*Before* MR. JUSTICE BATESON)

In this petition Lieutenant-Colonel Christian George Maude, of Albert Bridge-road, S.W., sought the dissolution of his marriage with the Hon. Patience Maude, *née* Kemp, on the ground of her adultery with Mr. Victor B. J. Seely. The petitioner said that he had committed adultery at a London hotel in March, 1929, with a woman unknown, and he asked for the discretion of the Court to be exercised in his favour.

The marriage took place on October 7, 1920, at St. John's Church, Keswick, Cumberland, and there are two children of the marriage, a daughter aged eight years and a son aged three years. Differences arose in 1928, and in January, 1929, there was a deed of separation.

On May 31, 1929, a decree *nisi* of divorce was granted to Mrs. Maude in an undefended suit on the ground of her husband's adultery. On February 10, 1930, that decree was rescinded on the undefended plea of the King's Proctor, because Mrs. Maude had been guilty of adultery with the present co-respondent during the late summer of 1929.

Mr. Bayford, K.C., and Mr. Walter Frampton appeared for the petitioner; Mr. Noel Middleton for the respondent.

MR. BAYFORD submitted that this was a case in which the husband took a woman to an hotel to give his wife an opportunity of divorcing him after they had separated. The present petitioner now wanted to marry again, and the respondent and the co-respondent wished to marry each other when they were free to do so. His Lordship had earlier in the day granted a decree *nisi* to the co-respondent's wife (in the case of Seely, S. H. v. Seely, V. B. J.) on the ground of Mr. Seely's relations with Mrs. Maude. The interests of all were involved in the petition being granted.

MR. JUSTICE BATESON, in giving judgment, said that he found adultery proved. The question was whether discretion ought to be exercised. The petitioner had said that he knew of no other way of getting a divorce in order to determine an impossible position between himself and his wife unless he himself committed adultery. He said that he took the woman to an hotel to allow his wife to terminate the marriage tie, and with that exception had not been guilty of any other adultery. The wife had herself gone off with the co-respondent, with whom she was living. The petitioner had met another woman whom he wished to marry, and he (his Lordship) would exercise his discretion to enable him to settle down to a decent and respectable life.

His LORDSHIP pronounced a decree *nisi*, the question of custody being adjourned to Chambers.

Solicitors.—Messrs. Speechly, Mumford, and Craig; Messrs. Simmons and Simmons.

LAW NOTICES, JUNE 19

House of Lords

At 10.30:—Girls' Public Day School Trust, Ltd. v. Ereaut (Inspector of Taxes) (hearing). Not before 2:—Commissioners of Inland Revenue v. Scottish Central Electric Power Co. (hearing).

Judicial Committee of the Privy Council

At 10.45:—Judgment.—Narayanaswami Ayyar and others v. Rama Ayyar and others.—Appeals.—The Bank of Montreal v. the Dominion Gresham Guarantee and Casualty Company (pt. hd.); Hoole and others v. the Royal Trust Company and another.

Court of Appeal

COURT I. (THE MASTER OF THE ROLLS, LAWRENCE and ROMER, L.JJ.).—At 10.30:—Appeal.—From the Chancery Division (Final List).—Oxford Corpn. v. Oxford Electric Co., Ltd. (pt. hd.) (2).

COURT II. (SCRUTTON, GREER, and SLESSER, L.JJ.).—At 10.30:—Appeals.—From the King's Bench Division (Final and New Trial List).—The Union Lighterage Co., Ltd. v. Barton (Revenue Officer) (pt. hd.) (15); Moon (Revenue Officer) v. the London County Council (17); the Revenue Officer for the Wimbledon Assessment Area v. Kerslake (18); the Revenue Officer for the Luton Assessment Area v. Deeley (19).

Chancery Division

COURT I. (EVE, J.).—At 10.30:—Adjourned Summonses.—Re Smith (Rhagg v. Aynsley) (pt. hd.) (6); re Johnson's Marriage Settlement (Elloart v. Johnson) (3); re Hill's Settlement Trusts (Elloart v. Hill) (4); re Townsend (Townsend v. Townsend) (7).

COURT III. (CLAUSON, J.).—At 10.30:—Witness List. Part II.—James v. Gething (pt. hd.) (6).

COURT V. (MAUGHAM, J.).—At 10.30:—Witness List. Part II.—Part v. Dunstable Portland Cement Co., Ltd. (pt. hd.) (1).

COURT II. (LUXMOORE, J.).—At 10.30:—Assigned Adjourned Summonses.—Re Western Electric Co., Ltd.'s Patent and re Patent and Designs Acts, 1907 and 1919 (pt. hd.); re Cullum's Patent and re Patent and Designs Acts, 1907 and 1919 (pt. hd.). Not before 11.15:—Witness List. Part I.—Sowler v. Moorgate Estates, Ltd. (pt. hd.) (1).

COURT IV. (FARWELL, J.).—At 10.30:—Adjourned Summonses.—In Court (as Chambers).—Re Teden (Public Trustee v. Teden) (9). In Court.—Not before 2:—Re Williams (Richards v. Williams) (12); re Same (Same v. Same) (13).

LORD CHANCELLOR'S COURT (BENNETT, J.).—At 10.30:—Witness List. Part I.—To be mentioned.—re Clifford (Clifford v. Clifford) (2); Wilkinson v. Hall (pt. hd.) (4); Keeble v. Cottier (5).

King's Bench Division

COURT VII. (HORRIDGE, J.).—At 10.30:—Special Jury.—Ambatielos v. the Foundation Co. (pt. hd.) (689).

COURT IX. (ROWLATT, J.).—At 10.30:—Commercial Summons.—Attended by Counsel.—Alfred Howard and Co. v. A. Wooder, Ltd.—Non-Jury.—O'Sullivan v. International Turvey Treatment Assoc., Ltd., and anr. (pt. hd.) (1495).—Commercial List.—Bergens Dampskibs, &c. v. Sun Insce. Co., Ltd. (2160).

COURT IV. (MCCARDIE, J.).—At 10.30:—For Judgment.—Gottliffe v. Edelston (Leeds). For Hearing.—Non-Jury.—Higgins v. Jackson (pt. hd.) (923).

COURT II. (TALBOT, J.) (CHAMBERS JUDGE).—At 10.30:—Common Jury.—Wilson v. Hancock (pt. hd.) (1332); O'Hara v. Collier (851).

Jurors

Special Jurors summoned for King's Bench, Court VII. (other than those in the part-heard case), need not attend until to-morrow.

Common Jurors summoned for King's Bench, Court II., must attend in that Court at 10.15.

Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division

COURT II. (THE PRESIDENT).—At 10.30:—Admiralty.—Latharna.—1929. Folio 322. Motion to confirm Registrar's Report: Motion in objection to Registrar's Report (pt. hd.).

COURT I. (HILL, J.).—At 10.30:—Undefended Divorce Causes.—Welton, E. W. v. Welton, H. G. (pt. hd.); Wood, L. v. Wood, W. R. (5); Barley, D. M. J. v. Barley, L. P. (67); King, S. E. v. King, J. G. (69); Beyerman, I. E. v. Beyerman, F. W. (70); Johnson v. Johnson and Winter (71); Perkins v. Perkins and Pritchard (78); Pond, M. P. v. Pond, L. J. (80); Carson, I. v. Carson, W. D. (82); Hayward v. Hayward and Cobb (84); Squire, V. M. B. v. Squire, F. H. (87); Bethell v. Bethell and Pembroke (93); Giggins v. Giggins and Trevell (94); Mullins v. Mullins and Briffault (96); Stebbins v. Stebbins and Mintzman (97); Derbyshire, M. M. v. Derbyshire, V. (98); Hotson, D. v. Hotson, W. P. (99); Lilley v. Lilley and Collins (100); Hartley, D. E. K. v. Hartley, C. (101); Ward, T. v. Ward, F. H. (102); Turner, F. M. v. Turner, P. J. (103); McVeagh, H. v. McVeagh, F. A. (104); Snell, F. A. v. Snell, E. S. (106); Allison, A. v. Allison, F. W. (112); Stevens, S. v. Stevens, H. L. (113); Brown v. Brown and Serner (115).

COURT III. (BATESON, J.).—At 10.30:—Undefended Divorce Causes.—Bickle, F. M. v. Bickle, W. (65); Herron, M. L. v. Herron, R. C. (68); Fagg v. Fagg and Faulkner (72); Snow v. Snow and Grigg (73); Hill, M. E. v. Hill, P. T. (74); Simmons, A. E. F. v. Simmons, A. (75); Streck, L. B. v. Streck, L. B. (76); Reed v. Reed and Pinfold (77); Green v. Green and Wright (79); Blunden v. Blunden and Ghost, *orse.* Gest (81); Wilkins v. Wilkins and Burningham (83); Murfet, D. H. v. Murfet, G. C. (85); Davis, A. M. v. Davis, A. (86); Rodderforth, G. J. C. v. Rodderforth, G. T. (88); Barcroft, M. V. G. v. Barcroft, J. H. P. (89); Charlton v. Charlton and Butwell (90); Kennett v. Kennett and Halliday (91); Offord, E. M. v. Offord, F. G. (92); Hanks, G. M. v. Hanks, H. W. (95); Jones, K. F. v. Jones, W. (105); West v. West and Hawkins (107); Roberts v. Roberts and Moseley (108); Turner Coles, R. S. v. Turner Coles, W. (109); Whyberd, R. v. Whybred, W. H. (111); Senior, A. v. Senior, S. (116).

Official Referees

COURT I.—R. C. J., No. 756 (SIR FRANCIS NEWBOLT, K.C.).—At 10.30:—Wort v. Faithfull; Bramley v. Williams (Long Eaton), Ltd.; Poore and Son v. Diamant.

COUNTY COURT, WINCANTON (MR. G. A. SCOTT).—At 10.30:—Kerridge v. Loader (pt. hd.).

COURT III.—R.C.J., No. 693 (SIR WILLIAM HANSELL, K.C.).—At 10.30:—A. Hyams and Co., Ltd. v. Corona Advertising (Lancs), Ltd. At 10.45:—Jarman v. Long and ors.

Bankruptcy

Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, Lincoln's Inn.

COURT I. (REGISTRAR WARMINGTON).—At 11:—Hart, R.; Huntley, H. A.; Hoey, F. W. C.; Jacobs, R. S.; Goldhill, C. A.; Grove, C.; Gibbs, G.; Keating, F. At 12:—de Waal, A. F.; Sondheim, E., and Rickord, H. G. M. (orse. Ironmonger and Co.); Hochglick, M.; Grimes, P. W. (orse. Graham, R. O.).

IN CHAMBERS—Room 36 (REGISTRAR MELLOR).—At 11:—Wells, T. A.; Adjd. Petitions (442, 152, 414, and 415 of 1930); Petitions (306, 504, and 505 of 1930); Adjd. Petitions (175, 176, 444, 251, and 438 of 1930). At 11.30:—Adjd. Petitions (110, 216, and 367 of 1930); Petition (517 of 1930); Adjd. appln. to set aside Bankruptcy Notice (23 of 1930); Podeschwa, J.; Adjd. Petition, disputed (1003 of 1929). At 12:—Adjd. Petition, disputed (298 of 1930). At 2.15:—Motion to set aside Bankruptcy Notice (1094 of 1930). At 2.30:—Adjd. appln. for payment out of Court of certain funds, 66784 of 1849 Act.

MEETING OF CREDITORS IN BANKRUPTCY (the OFFICIAL RECEIVERS).—At Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street.—Room 23—First Floor.—At 11:—Baldwin, A., first meeting. Room 83—Second Floor.—At 11:—Perkins, R., first meeting. At 11.30:—Stanley, F. St. B., ditto. At 12:—Tydeman, W. E., adjd. ditto.

Companies

CHANCERY DIVISION.—Companies Court (REGISTRAR BRIGHT).—In Chambers—Room 48.—At 11:—Ex parte Applications. At 11.15:—Burlington Buildings, Ltd. (Hodge and anr. v. Burlington Buildings, Ltd.); British Brunswick, Ltd. (Duophone and Unbreakable Record Co., Ltd. v. British Brunswick, Ltd., and anr.). At 11.30:—Smyrna Bank, Ltd.; Associated Cotton Ginners of Egypt, Ltd. At 12:—Shaw and Jackson, Ltd.; Bardsley and Bornhardt, Ltd.; Queen's Tennis Club (Forest Hill), Ltd. At 12.30:—Buckingham Brick and Tile Co., Ltd. At 2.15:—Peto-Scott Co., Ltd. Room 69.—At 12:—International Talking Screen Productions, Ltd. At 2.30:—British Acetate Silk Corporation, Ltd. Room 86.—At 11:—First Russian Insce. Co., Established 1827. At 2.45:—National Benefit Assurance Co., Ltd. Room 67.—At 11.15:—Engineers Club (London), Ltd. At 11.30:—Burnard's (Established 1860), Ltd. At 11.45:—British Surety Insurance Co., Ltd. At 12:—Fred Towler and Co., Ltd. Room 89.—At 11:—Presed Steel Co. of Great Britain, Ltd. Room 68.—At 2:—Gosforth Park Estate Co., Ltd. Room 67.—At 11.30:—Carreras Cinema (Windsor), Ltd. (Abrahams v. Carreras Cinema (Windsor), Ltd., and anr.).

MASTERS sitting.—Bonner, Jelf, Whately, Ball, Ringer, Baker, and Moseley.

TAXING MASTER.—Cave.

MASTER OF THE CROWN OFFICE sitting.—Kershaw.

CHANCERY REGISTRARS.—The following will be in attendance:—Hicks Beach (on Appeal Court I.); More (on Eve, J.); Andrews (on Maugham, J.); Hicks Beach (on Bennett, J.); Blaker (on Clauson, J.); Ritchie (on Luxmoore, J.); Jolly (on Farwell, J.).

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

CHANCERY DIVISION

WILL INVALIDLY ATTESTED: EARLIER WILL NOT REVOKED

IN RE ROBINSON: LAMB v. ROBINSON

(*Before* MR. JUSTICE EVE)

His LORDSHIP, in deciding a question raised by originating summons, held that an earlier will of a testatrix was not revoked by a later will, expressed to be a "last will and testament" and containing dispositions at variance with the earlier will, but rendered completely ineffective through an invalid attestation.

Mrs. Sarah Robinson, late of 3, Franklin-mount, Harrogate, widow, by a will dated November 20, 1914, having appointed an executor and trustee, gave her residuary estate on trust for sale and conversion, and directed her trustee out of the income of her net residue to pay to her son, the defendant, Mr. Harry Hewitt Robinson, an annuity of £156, free of income-tax, during his life, and subject thereto to divide her estate between her grandchildren living at a certain date. The will contained the usual clause revoking previous wills.

On September 5, 1921, the testatrix executed the following document:—

> This is my last will and testament. I, Sarah Robinson, leave all I possess at my death to my son, Harry Hewitt Robinson, of 61, Grange-avenue, Leeds, including the reversion I bought for him under his late father's will. I wish him to have £100 at once, the rest of his share as soon as possible after my death without any restrictions whatever.
>
> SARAH ROBINSON.

The will was attested by two witnesses, one of whom, Mrs. Gertrude Robinson, was the wife of Mr. H. H. Robinson. Both documents were admitted to probate. The summons raised the questions (*a*) whether the estate ought to be treated as if the testatrix had died intestate, or (*b*) whether the disposition of November 20, 1914, was to be treated as still applying to the testatrix's estate as the only effective testamentary instrument.

Mr. R. M. Pattisson appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. J. A. Wolfe for the defendant, Dorothy Robinson, a grandchild; and Mr. N. C. Armitage for the defendant, Mr. H. H. Robinson.

JUDGMENT

MR. JUSTICE EVE, in the course of his judgment, said that both documents had been admitted to probate. Unfortunately, the wife of the testatrix's son Harry was one of the attesting witnesses of the later document, with the result that it was ineffective to confer any benefit on him. The question was whether the second will revoked the first will and the deceased died intestate, or whether, the second will, being ineffective, the first will remained in force.

If he had been called on to decide the point some years ago he would have held that it was governed by Baker v. Storey (31 L.T., 631), where it was held that there was a distinction between failure of gift through infirmity of the instrument and failure through incapacity of the legatee, and that in the latter case a second will would revoke an earlier one. But on the most recent authorities it was impossible to contend that the distinction could now be insisted on, unless there was a definite revocation of the earlier will by the later one.

Did the testatrix in the present case intend that, if the gift contained in the second will failed, the other gift should remain effectual? The only indication in the second document that the testatrix intended to revoke the first will was in the altered disposition which it contained. It was said that it was a will, not a codicil, but there was nothing in it to show that the testatrix remembered she had made a previous will. The point which had been raised was dealt with by Lord Dunedin in Ward v. Van der Loeff (40 *The Times* L.R., 493; [1924] A.C., 653, at p. 668), where he referred to the distinction above alluded to and said:—

> I do not think this is a sound distinction. It would be curious if it were so. The question obviously depends on the intention of the testator as gathered from the words he has used, and it is difficult to understand how that intention can be varied accordingly as the inefficiency of the new arrangement depends on whether he has not legally carried out his intention by the words he has used, or whether the law has made impossible the thing he was trying to do.

Lord Phillimore expressed the same view and Lord Wrenbury, in an Indian case (Vencatarayana (L.R. 43, Ind. App. 20)), dealing with Baker v. Storey (*supra*) came to the same conclusion that the matter depended on the expression of intention. If a testator made two distinct gifts to a person by two instruments it must be ascertained from the language of the two instruments whether the first gift was altogether displaced. If there was a clear intention to revoke the earlier instrument the failure of the second gift would not restore the first one. In the face of the authorities he (his Lordship) could not hold that the first will had been revoked, so far as the estate of Mrs. Robinson was concerned.

Solicitors.—Messrs. Warren, Murton, Miller, and Foster, for Messrs. Parker, March, and Charlton, Selby.

PROBATE, DIVORCE, AND ADMIRALTY DIVISION

DECREE NISI FOR MRS. DUDLEY WARD

WARD, W. M. v. WARD, W. D.

(*Before* MR. JUSTICE BATESON)

In this undefended petition Mrs. Winifred May Ward, of Abercorn-place, St. John's Wood, N.W., prayed for the dissolution of her marriage with Mr. William Dudley Ward on the ground of his adultery at the Hotel Metropole, Brighton, in February last, with a woman named in the petition.

The marriage took place on July 9, 1913, at St. Margaret's Church, Westminster, and there are two children, daughters, aged 15 and 13 years.

Mr. Bayford, K.C., and Mr. T. Bucknill appeared for the petitioner.

His LORDSHIP pronounced a decree *nisi*, with custody of the children, and costs.

Solicitors.—Messrs. Lewis and Lewis.

PROFESSIONAL GOLFER GRANTED A DECREE NISI

JOLLY v. JOLLY AND CHILD

(*Before* MR. JUSTICE HILL)

There was no defence to the petition of Mr. Herbert Charles Jolly, of Park-road, Bromley, a professional golfer, for the dissolution of his marriage with Mrs. Anne Maude Jolly, *née* Brown, on the ground of her adultery with a man named Child.

The marriage took place on July 16, 1919, at St. Paul's Church, Sheerness, and there is one child of the marriage, a daughter, aged eight years. It was alleged that the respondent had committed adultery with the co-respondent at the Strand Palace Hotel in December last.

Mr. H. B. D. Grazebrook appeared for the petitioner.

MR. JUSTICE HILL granted a decree *nisi*, with custody of the child, and costs against the co-respondent.

Solicitors.—Messrs. Berrymans.

BOY CHARGED WITH ARSON

A statement, reported to have been made by JOHN WHITE, 15, who was charged with arson, was referred to at the Worcester Petty Sessions on Tuesday. White, it was alleged, placed a candle by a cupboard containing papers and set fire to it. His employer, William Rice, a farmer, his wife, and two children were sleeping in the same building. The woman was awakened by a noise, and her husband found the house on fire. When caught by the police White was alleged to have said: "I set fire to a rick of straw because the firemen had nothing to do. The fire in the house was nearly out when they came. I heard Mr. Rice shouting 'Fire,' and I didn't half laugh. I went to watch for the engine. I should have set fire to the stables if you had not caught me. If I had seen you coming I should have bolted into the beans, and you would have had a job to find me." White was sent to a reformatory.

IMPROPER TELEPHONE CALLS

After a week's remand in custody, JACK ELLIS, 39, a printer's clerk, of Felix-street, Lambeth, was sentenced by MR. FRY, at Bow-street Police Court on Tuesday, to one month's imprisonment, with hard labour, for fraudulently causing to be consumed the amount of electricity involved in a telephone call and obstructing a girl telephone exchange operator in the course of her duty. It was stated that, in consequence of someone ringing up girls at the Temple Bar telephone exchange and making improper remarks, a special watch was kept. The next time this happened the girl engaged the caller in conversation long enough for an officer to get to the call-box. Mr. Fraser, prosecuting, said that this sort of conduct was very much on the increase, and the Postmaster-General was determined to protect his servants from the nuisance.

Mr. Bedford Dorman, of Enterpen Hall, Hutton Rudby, Yorkshire, has been adopted as prospective Conservative candidate for the Cleveland division of Yorkshire. Mr. Dorman is a member of the North Riding County Council.

BAR EXAMINATION

TRINITY TERM RESULTS

The following are the results of the Trinity examination of students of the Inns of Court held in Lincoln's Inn Hall on May 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, and 30, by the Council of Legal Education:—

In the list L. means Lincoln's Inn; I., Inner Temple; M., Middle Temple; and G., Gray's Inn.

ROMAN LAW

CLASS I.—Ambrose, James Walter Davy, I.; Mavrogordato, John George, G.; Pollecoff, Ivy Gwendolyn, M.; Tottenham, Edward Loftus, G.

CLASS II.—Addis, Eric Elvington, I.; Das, Bimal Kumar, L.; Diplock, William John Kenneth, M.; Farquharson, Donald Charles, G.; Farquharson, Mrs. Loveday Shackell, G.; Giblin, John Charles, G.; Jayasundera, Hayes, M.; Lloyd, John Ernest Seton, I.; Lucas-Tooth, Sir Hugh Vere Huntley Duff, Bt., L.; Macassey, Kenneth Livingstone, M.; Mandal, Bhuban Mohan, L.; Mueenuddin, Ghulam, I.; Pickup, John Clegg, M.; Purkis, Basil Laird, L.; Robertson, Wallace Roderick Duncan, I.; Shah, Savailal Keshavlal, M.; Smith, William, M.; Snook, Edmund, G.; Tabor, Mary Ruth, G.; Valls, Rafael Francisco Jose, M.; Wilkins, Charles Bertie, G.

CLASS III.—Abichandani, Dayaran Nebhraj, L.; Achilles, George, M.; Amphlett, J., I.; Armstrong, John Anderson, L.; Aziz, Shaikh Mahmood, M.; Bowles, Brian, I.; Bullock, Edward Jack, I.; Caccia, Harold Anthony, I.; Camm, Frederic Jackson, I.; Chatterjee, Gladys Mary, Lady, L.; Chia, Boon Hoe, M.; Coombs, William Harry, I.; Das, Prodosh Ranjan, L.; Davies, Irene Grace Ruth, I.; de Souza, William, I.; Edney, Alfred John, G.; Elliston, George Lewis Causton, L.; Ewart, Frederick Kenneth, I.; Farmiloe, James Derrick, I.; Fay, Edgar Stewart, I.; Ganguly, Ajit Coomar, L.; Glykys, Michael Evelthon, M.; Grasby, Ernest Dudley Yarnold, G.; Griffiths, Thomas James, G.; Haiste, Leonard Grisdale, M.; Happell, Arthur Comyn, I.; Hare, James Francis, I.; Hemeon, Clarence Reid, G.; Hilliard, Leslie Theodore, G.; Jackson, Ian Archibald, L.; Jotikasthira, Sote, M.; Karmel, Alexander David, M.; Khan, Zahiruddin, L.; Koch, George Ellis Gladwin, M.; Kohli, Dharm Bir, L.; Kok, Ho Leng, M.; Leicester-Warren, John Leighton Byrne, I.; Lim, Gim Hoe, M.; Malik, Allah Din, M.; Mellor, Francis Horace, G.; Mondal, Sashi Bhushan, L.; Morrice, Mrs. Alice Greta, L.; Murphy, Denis Hubert, I.; Neal, Dorothy Nina, G.; Nichols, Hardwick Hugh, G.; Nicholson, David John Stafford, I.; Norris, Donald Craig, I.; O'Hagan, Desmond, I.; Pandit, Bhairaoprasad Shiwnath, I.; Paterson, Arthur James, I.; Phillips, William Dunstan, M.; Pratap, Chhaganlal Jagjivandas, M.; Pravitra, Mom Chao Chitrapridi, I.; Rai, Amrit, M.; Redhead, Joseph Hismond von Weiller, M.; Roberts, Cyril Alfred, I.; Sinha, Bishweshwar Prasad, M.; Tarkunde, Vithal Mahadeo, L.; Thomas, Mrs. Beatrice Amy, I.; Thomas, Gwilym Alfred, G.; Thomas, Stella Jane, M.; Turton, Mrs. Mary, I.; Vickers, William John, I.; Wilson, Daniel Martin, I.; Wong, Miss Beng Sim, L.

Examined 161; passed 90.

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW AND LEGAL HISTORY

CLASS I.—Avgherinos, George, M.; Buch, Nilkanthrai Mohanlal, L.; Burge, James Charles George, I.; Diplock, William John Kenneth, M.; Lennox-Boyd, Alan Tindal, I.; Notcutt, Audrey Phyllis, M.; Salmon, Eric Cecil Heygate, I.

CLASS II.—Aziz, Shaikh Mahmood, M.; Calder, Flora Hannah Macdonald, M.; Capoor, Shyan Behari, M.; Chandavimol, Ampai, I.; De, Niren, L.; Fendick, Tee Robert Richard Gordon, M.; Fulford, Roger Thomas Baldwin, I.; Herbert, Charles Gordon, M.; Hillis, Arthur Henry Macnamara, I.; Jones, Lewis Rouse, I.; Kooka, Deena, L.; Lambert, Robert, L.; Lloyd, Sampson Llewellyn, I.; Lowe, Peter, L.; Mavrogordato, John George, G.; Pratap, Chhaganlal Jagjivandas, M.; Reeves, Marjorie Isabel, M.; Robertson, Wallace Roderick Duncan, I.; Varma, Hori Lal, M.; Verne, Denis Batigan, M.; Weston, William Gordon, I.

CLASS III.—Abichandani, Dayaram Nebhraj, L.; Achilles, George, M.; Adams, Frederick William, M.; Adoo, Julius Sarkodee, I.; Agabeg, Noel Dudley, G.; Ali, Mohamed, M.; Allardyce, Miss Marian Jane, G.; Anand, Mulk Raj, I.; Barman, Satyabhushan, L.; Basu, Dhirendra Kumar, G.; Beynon, Albert Cyril, L.; Bhojwani, Dharamdas Kundanmal, M.; Bilgrami, Syed Taki, M.; Branch, Charles William Kerr, I.; Briscoe, Edward Fuller, M.; Brown, Harold John, M.; Brown, Kenneth Harold, L.; Bruce-Gardyne, Ian Meredith, G.; Campbell, James Gordon, G.; Cartwright, James Arthur D'Arcy, G.; Clarke, John Theophilus, M.; Codd, Arthur Geoffrey Gamble, M.; Cohen, Samuel Immanuel, L.; Colclough, John Richard, M.; Connell, Neville Clarke, G.; Crump, William Maurice Esplen, I.; Dade, Donington, I.; Darwin, William, I.; Daud, Mahammed, M.; Dawn, Richard Plantagenet, L.; Dhanapala, Charles Victor, L.; Dow, Ronald Graham, I.; Drew, Lewis, L.; Duncan, Brian Arthur Cullum, L.; Ennals, Charles Thomas Cutlack, I.; Evans, Charles Tunstall, M.; Fernando, Arden Pyke, L.; Gavin, Robert, M.; Gour, Agnes Swaroop Kumari, I.; Grasby, Ernest Dudley Yarnold, G.; Gupta, Krishna Prasad Das, M.; Hagen, Rudolf Charles Nestor, M.; Harrison, Charles Ernest, G.; Haslam, Cecil Henry Cobden, L.; Hayes, Susan Margaret Ranken, M.; Hemeon, Clarence Reid, G.; Herbert, Christian Victor Charles, L.; Ho, Jin Hean, M.; Howard, Francis Philip Raphael, M.; Inayat, Chaudhri Ullah, L.; Ingle, Charles Fiennes, I.; Johnson, Albert Alfred, M.; Jones, David William, G.; Jones, Hugh Emlyn, M.; Joyce, Francis Wyatt, I.; Kadri, Sirajuddin Mahbubmia, L.; Kanga, Gustasp, L.; Karmel, Alexander David, M.; Khan, Abdul Waheed, I.; Khan, Zahiruddin, L.; Kidwai, Reshad Shahid Hosain, L.; Knight, Clifford, I.; Konkevitch, Sergey Leonidovitch, M.; Krairiksh, Bhusanabhorn, I.; Krairiksh, Vichitra, I.; Kureishy, Abdul Rashid, M.; Lafleur, Henri Grier, I.; Lawrey, Martin, G.; Leversedge, Leslie Frank, I.; Levison, Moses Solomon, G.; Lightman, Harold, L.; Lumsden, John Eric, G.; Macdonald, Ian Somerled, L.; Macleay, Oswell Searight, I.; Mahindra, Hem Chandra, I.; Man, Karam Singh, I.; Marwah, Pritam Singh, L.; Massey, Frederick Roger Nidham Hamilton, G.; Mathias, John Mathison, I.; Matthews, Edward Morgan Tebbs, I.; Mayhew, John de Perigault Gurney, I.; McLeod, Horace Norman, I.; McQuown, Frederic Richard, G.; Millers, Harold Cuthbert Townley, G.; Minkovitsh, Gershon, G.; Mitford, the Hon. Thomas David Freeman, I.; Mitra, Amarendra Nath, M.; Mitter, Rabindra Nath, L.; Mohamed, Azmi Bin, I.; Mueenuddin, Ghulam, I.; Nettleton, Clifford, G.; Nightingale, Eric Julius, G.; Northen, Charles Fitch, I.; Nye, Leslie Arthur, I.; Ockerse, William Cooke, I.; O'Conor, Roderic Aylward, I.; Ouvry, Norman Delamain, L.; Patel, Ambalal Jhaverbhai, M.; Patel, Vithaldas Bhikhabhai, M.; Paterson, Arthur James, I.; Patil, Jamsingh Mohonsingh, M.; Phillips, William Dunstan, M.; Pratt, Alfred Sydney Martin, G.; Prescott, Anthony Ernest Cromwell, M.; Price, John Griffith Thomas, L.; Rahimtoola, Ahmed Ibrahim, L.; Ram, Vangala Shiva, L.; Ramanujam, Thirunangar Srinivasachariar, M.; Rampal, Ram Prashad, M.; Rasul, Safiquan, I.; Renton, Esmond Dudley Harwood, G.; Rhodes, George Ewart, G.; Rigby, Ivo Charles Clayton, I.; Robb, Francis Charles, G.; Rogers, Graham, I.; Sanders, Charles Bettesworth, L.; Santisiri, Chai Charoen, M.; Schwab, Jean Arnold, G.; Severis, Christodoulos Demosthenous, M.; Shelat, Jeyshanker Manilal, I.; Sparrow, John Hanbury Angus, M.; Stogdon, Norman Francis, M.; Strauss, Andre, I.; Strong, Ernest Ian Elphinstone, M.; Stride, Desmond Adair, I.; Stuttaford, Richard Bawden, I.; Suri, Lachhman Dass, L.; Tanner, Charles Graham, I.; Tanner, Edwin John, G.; Terrell, Thomas, G.; Watson, Guy, I.; Watt, Eric George Saltmarsh, G.; Weeks, Eric George Hilton, M.; Whillier, John, G.; Whittingham-Jones, Miss Mary Edith Barbara, G.; Wilson, Daniel Martin, I.; Wood, Brian Frank, M.; Yusuf, Nur Jehan Mohammad, M.

Examined, 224; passed, 166.

CRIMINAL LAW AND PROCEDURE

CLASS I.—Cattan, Henry, M.; Coutts, John Archibald, G.; Lambert, Robert, L.; Mavrogordato, John George, G.

CLASS II.—Addis, Eric Elvington, I.; Barratt, Geoffrey, I.; Brown, Harold John, M.; Chapman, Stephen, I.; Chear, John, G.; Connor, Lewis Roussez, G.; David, Villiers Peveril, I.; Diplock, William John Kenneth, M.; Edmondson, Charles Sandricourt Thiele, L.; Fairclough, Percy Revell, M.; Gavin, Robert, M.; Hare, James Francis, I.; Herbert, Charles Gordon, M.; Lennox-Boyd, Alan Tindal, I.; Manny, Elijah Moshe, G.; McDougall, Archibald, M.; Merry del Val, Pablo, M.; Nye, Archibald Edward, I.; Purcell, Victor William Williams, I.; Ramanujam, Thirunangar Srinivasachariar, M.; Russell, Charles Ritchie, L.; Russell of Liverpool, Rt. Hon. Edward Frederick Langley, Lord, G.; Spurling, Antony Cuthbert, I.; Tabor, Mary Ruth, G.; Watson, Guy, I.; Wilss, Carl Heinrich Herbert, I.

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Examined, 222; passed, 130.

REAL PROPERTY AND CONVEYANCING

CLASS I.—Avgherinos, George, M.; Brown, Harold John, M.; Cooray, Mannamarakkalege Edmund Joseph, L.; Dunbar, George Cospatric Duff Sutherland, M.; Hillis, Arthur Henry Macnamara, I.; Lewis, Richard Boys, L.; Macassey, Kenneth Livingstone, M.; McDougall, Archibald, M.; Pugh, Dennis Bodenham, I.

CLASS II.—Bennett, Kenneth Geoffrey, M.; Bickerton, Agnes Bickerton, M.; Bowyer, Aldred William, L.; Branch, Denzil Templer, G.; Burn, William Laurence, I.; Cattan, Henry M.; Iliff, Philip William, L.; Kay, Alexander, G.; Kilroy, Alix Hester Marie, L.; Kripalani, Kishinchand Ramchand, L.; Lambert, Robert, L.; Lascelles, Daniel Richard, I.; Loudon, Francis William Hope, L.; More, Jasper, M.; Ouvry, Norman Delamain, L.; Robbins, Albert Hyman, M.; Schapiro, Leonard Bertram, G.; Smith, Coulton Walker, G.; Smith, Howard Lisle, I.; Smith, Walter Robert George, G.; Thomas, Hugh John Godfrey, L.; Tulloh, John Kearton, G.

CLASS III.—Abrahams, Gerald, G.; Amin, Babubhai Kashibhai, I.; Antelme, Marie Francois Jacques, M.; Au-Yong, Peng Woon, L.; Barnard, Cyril de Beausire, I.; Barnard, Walter Herbert Dumorier, I.; Bell, Walter Fancourt, I.; Bell, William Oswald, I.; Beynon, Albert Cyril, L.; Bibby-Trevor, Robert Nicholas, I.; Bird, Brian Hamilton, I.; Bowie, Jessie Marguerite, M.; Bruce-Gardyne, Ian Meredith, G.; Burge, James Charles George, I.; Campbell, Graeme Kennedy, M.; Chakrabarti, Sukumar, L.; Chin, Swee Onn, M.; Christides, Alexandra Millicent, I.; Corker, William Henning, G.; Crook, Herbert Clifford, G.; Cross, Hannah Margaret, L.; Crump, William Maurice Esplen, I.; Dawn, Richard Plantagenet, I.; Delage, Marie Madeleine, G.; Dyer, Henry James Herbert, L.; Edge, William Leonard, G.; Franklin, Arthur Harrington, I.; Fraser, William Jocelyn Ian, I.; Freer, John Grace, I.; Hawkins, Hyman Lazarus, M.; Hereward, Percy Octavius, I.; Howard, Francis Philip Raphael, M.; Htoon, Maung Chan, I.; Hulse, Hamilton Westrow, I.; Ingle, Charles Fiennes, I.; Jennings, Norman, M.; Johnson, Joseph William de Graft, M.; Leycester, Joseph Hugh, G.; Lim, Richard Chuan Hoe, M.; Loveridge, Arthur John, M.; Macmillan, Angus Leith, G.; Mahabir, Harold Clark, M.; Marwah, Pritam Singh, L.; Master, Ibrahim Karimbhai, L.; Mayer, Edward, I.; Memeskul, Yen, M.; Minton, Horace Donald Levlin, I.; Monson, the Hon. John Rosebery, I.; Rajanayagam, Muttiah, L.; Rao, Rajah Simhadri, I.; Ricardo, Joseph Elias Spencer, I.; Rippon, Percy Ivor Vincent, I.; Roberts, Cyril Alfred, I.; Robertson, Edwin Adolphus, L.; Rogers, Graham, I.; Sasagawa, Tomoji, M.; Silverman, Julius, G.; Skelhorn, Norman John, M.; Stirling, Robert James Lindsay, I.; Swan, Maurice Francis Oswald, L.; Tan, Cheng Hock, I.; Tan, Chye Cheng, M.; Thomas, John Humphrey Kenneth, I.; Thompson, Walter Leopold, M.; Towers, James, G.; Vellani, Wali Bhaloo Lakha, M.; Watson, Winifred Hazel, M.; West, Herbert Henry, L.; Whiteley, George Derek Pepys, M.; Williams, Oswald Elias, M.; Woon, Ong Shein, M.

Examined, 178; passed, 102.

HINDU AND MOHAMEDAN LAW

CLASS I.—Cooper, Frederick William Valentine, M.

CLASS II.—No award.

CLASS III.—Altendorff, Victor Sperling, M.; Badhwar, Har Kishan Lal, M.; Cartwright, James Arthur D'Arcy, G.; Choudhury, Jogesh Chandra, M.; Cordeiro, Alex Peter, L.; Coxon, Mrs. Florence Ada, G.; De Epalza, Domingo Maria, M.; Dhole, Purushattam Dattatray, M.; Fernando, Devaniarachige Wilbert, G.; Leversedge, Leslie Frank, I.; Lincoln, Louis Jean, M.; Mitchell, Thomas Walter, I.; Suppiah, Raja Gopal, I.; Wickramasinghe, Sylvester Edward Jayasinghe, M.

Examined, 33; passed, 15.

ROMAN-DUTCH LAW

CLASS I.—Shahmiri, Khwaja Muzaffaruddin Ahmad, M.

CLASS II.—Daud, Mahammed, M.

CLASS III.—Bapat, Shriram Balkrishna, M.; Gour, Agnes Swaroop Kumari, I.; Gupta, Krishna Prasad Das, M.; Happell, Arthur Comyn, I.; Mueenuddin, Ghulam, I.; Pathare, Waman Shamrao, M.; Ram, Vengala Shiva, L.; Shah, Jayvaden Anupchand, M.; Subbuswamy, Jagadesan, M.; Varma, Hori Lal, M.

Examined, 23; passed, 12.

FINAL EXAMINATION

CLASS I.—CERTIFICATES OF HONOUR (in order of merit).—Shawcross, Christopher Nyholm, G.; Jayawickrama, Diyasena Sudhira, L., and Willan, Harold Curwen, I. (bracketed equal).

CLASS II. (in order of merit).—Marke, Richard Bright, M.; Edwards, Richard Lionel, I.; Cohen, Miss Edith Vera, L., and Hla, Tha Zan, I. (bracketed equal); Lo, Tung-Fan, G.; Worley, Newnham Arthur, I.; Fuller, Alfred Aubone Baden, L.; Phillips, Henry William Alexander Hudson, G.; Alexander, Joan Baker, I.; Wallace, Gerald William, L.; Taylor, Evan Nuttall, I.; Brown, Harold John, M., and Lumley, Edward Kenneth, G. (bracketed equal); Bachhawat, Ranadhir Singh, I.; England, George Nicholas, G.; Williams, Ernest Hillas, I.; Burn, William Laurence, I.; Williams, Oswald Elias, M.; Hamson, Charles John, G.

CLASS III. (in alphabetical order).—Abichandani, Dayaram, Nebhraj, L.; Ajose, Ogunyemi Ibikunle, I.; Alexander, James Frederick, I.; Allen, Rowland Lancelot, I.; Alles, Joseph Stanilaus, I.; Alles, Peter Frederick Emmanuel, I.; Au-yong, Peng Choon, L.; Au-yong, Peng Woon, L.; Barcilon, Hector, G.; Bartlett, Frank McLaurin, I.; Basu, Dhirendra Kumar, G.; Brassey, Peter Esme, I.; Brereton, Cloudesley Shovel Malcolm, I.; Brown, Robert Jardine, M.; Bullock, Edward Jack, I.; Burnett, John George, I.; Chalmers, David Ferguson, M.; Christides, Alexandra Millicent, I.; Cooke, Roger Gresham, I.; Craig, Norman Vincent, I.; Cussen, Edward James Patrick, I.; Date, William Adrian, M.; Dawn, Richard Plantagenet, L.; Dean, Eric Walter, I.; De Lestang, Marie Charles Clement Nageon, M.; Dennis, Wilfred John Masey, M.; De Silva, Rajapakse Manikkunambi Henry, L.; Duerden, Herbert, M.; Eastwood, Mrs. Norah Mary, G.; Eden, Charles Egerton, I.; Elliott, Norman Randall, M.; Ellison, Reginald Cuthbert Stockdale, M.; Ensor, Helen Diana, G.; Foot, Dingle Mackintosh, G.; Franklin, Harry Verney Alfred, G.; Freeman, Joseph Bray, I.; Freeman, Louis Alfred, M.; Freer, John Grace, I.; Gage, Conolly Hugh, I.; Galliano, Hyacinth Julian, M.; Gatti, Cecil Francis, I.; Ghaznavi, Mohammed Ismailkhan, M.; Greenwood,

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Josemee Marguerite, G.; Hamid, Sheikh Ullah, M.; Harvey, Arthur, G.; Harvey, Frederic, M.; Hathorn, Anthony Scott, I.; Heath, Albert John Kingsley, G.; Henry, James Lawrence, I.; Herbert, Roscoe, M.; Highton, Cecil Joseph, L.; Hinchcliffe, Thomas Edward, M.; Holland, Robert Josling, I.; Hooper, Geoffrey Grant, L.; Hunt, Vere John Urquhart, M.; Jani, Shantilal Rewashanker, M.; Jessel, Ernest Anthony, I.; Johnson, Douglas Harold, I.; Keat, George Reynolds, G.; Kloppers, Daniel Andries Francis, I.; Kyriakides, Evangelos Constantine, M.; Large, John Wilfred, G.; Leedham-Green, Hugh Lascelles, I.; Lewis, Frank Alphonse, I.; Lipschutz, Naphtali, G.; Logan, Frederick Colquhoun, M.; Long-Brown, Norman, I.; Lustgarten, Edgar Marcus, G.; MacClements, Samuel Ross, G.; MacLeay, Oswell Searight, I.; Macmillan, Angus Leith, G.; Malik, Mrs. Elsa Care, I.; Martin, Phyllis Mabel, G.; Master, Ibrahim Karimbhai, L.; May, Geoffrey, I.; McShine, Arthur Hugh, M.; Mehta, Anand Parkash, M.; Miles, Basil Raymond, I.; Minty, Ernest Leslie, G.; Moffat, Robert Laws, G.; Morrell, Arthur Harwood Mackinder, I.; Newman, Tom Seth, G.; Norris, Thomas Edward Strafford, I.; Paschalis, Paschalis Neoptolemus, M.; Pathakji, Vyomeshchandra Janardan, M.; Peck, Jasper Augustine, I.; Peele, Richardson, I.; Petit, Peterson, Edward Whittred Reed, I.; Petit, Behram Jehangir, I.; Phear, William Herbert, G.; Phillips, Owen Hood, G.; Pillai, Aiyappa Krishna, I.; Qasim, Abul, L.; Rajanayagam, Muttiah, L.; Rao, Rajah Simhadri, I.; Rawlins, Cosmo Windham Hooper, I.; Razvi, Syed Mazherali, M.; Robertson, Michael, L.; Robinson, Harold John, I.; Robinson, Ralph Leo, L.; Rogers, Graham, I.; Saigol, Vivian Roy, I.; Schramek, Henry, I.; Siddiqui, Manzoor Husain, L.; Singh, Abnasha, G.; Sinha, Deep Narayan, L.; Smith, Howard Lisle, I.; Smouha, Edward Ralph, L.; Steel, Christopher Bedford, L.; Subbuswamy, Jagadesan, M.; Sundram, Nallaperumal Shanmuga, I.; Suppiah, Raja Gopal, I.; Swinfen, the Right Hon. Charles, Lord, I.; Tanner, Charles Graham, I.; Taylor, Glenmore Evans, G.; Thomas, William Stanley Russell, L.; Thompson, Charles Gordon, G.; Tindall, William Henry, I.; Vellani, Wali Bhaloo Lakha, M.; Vivian, Lettice, G.; Wijemanne, Alexander Fairlie, G.; Willis, Roger Blenkiron, I.; Wolseley, Cecilia Lucy Cavendish, G.; Young, Harry Maurice, G.

Slade, Edwyn Alick Frank Hobart, G. and Inn of Court of Northern Ireland.

Examined, 220; passed, 147.

The studentship of 100 guineas a year, tenable for three years, was awarded to:—Shawcross, Christopher Nyholm, G.

By Order of the Council,

(Signed) ATKIN, Chairman.

ARTHUR GREER, Chairman of the Board of Studies.

INNS OF COURT LECTURES

During the present educational term at the Inns of Court the readers and assistant readers of the Council of Legal Education will lecture on the subjects of the Bar Examination. The lectures will be delivered in the lecture rooms at the Inner Temple, beginning to-day. Prospectuses may be obtained from the Secretary to the Council of Legal Education, 15, Old-square, Lincoln's Inn, W.C.2.

NAVAL, MILITARY, AND AIR FORCE

NEW NAVAL ATTACHE

Captain Edward de F. Renouf, whose appointment to the Admiralty for temporary service was announced in *The Times* on June 12, has been selected to succeed Captain St. Aubyn B. Wake as Naval Attaché to the South American Republics. Captain Wake, whose headquarters are at Buenos Aires, completes three years in this post on August 12. Captain Renouf specialized in torpedo duties as a lieutenant, and from May, 1914, to June, 1918, was torpedo officer of the battleship CONQUEROR in the Grand Fleet. He was promoted to commander in December, 1921, after being first and torpedo officer of the battleship CENTURION in the Mediterranean; and was later appointed to the Department of Torpedoes and Mining. He qualified as a staff officer in 1924-25 and was afterwards Fleet Torpedo Officer in the Atlantic Fleet, on board the REVENGE. Promoted to captain in December, 1928, he has since had a year in command of the VAMPIRE and as second-in-command of the First Destroyer Flotilla, in the Mediterranean.

CRUISER FOR AMERICAN STATION

The cruiser DANAE, recently carrying out trials after repairs at Devonport, is to reduce to reserve complement there to-morrow and will commission with a full crew on August 6, as an independent command, for service on the America and West Indies Station. She replaces the DURBAN, Captain Ralph Leatham, which is due to leave Bermuda to-morrow to visit Halifax, Pictou, and St. John, N.B., before returning to Devonport.

NAVAL FIELD GUN COMPETITION

The Admiralty stated yesterday that the result of the Field Gun competition, held at the Royal Tournament, is as follows:—

Aggregate Cup.—Winners, H.M.S. VIVID; time, 36min. 56 2-5sec.

Fastest Run Cup.—Winners, H.M.S. PEMBROKE; time, 3min. 56 1-5sec.

GOOD SERVICE PENSION

Colonel Commandant (temporary Brigadier) L. C. Lampen, Royal Marines, has been awarded a Good Service pension of £150 a year, in the vacancy created by the promotion of Major-General R. V. T. Ford, from June 16.

NEW WARSHIP CONTRACTS

The contracts for the hulls and machinery of new warships belonging to the 1929 construction programme which have been announced this week would normally have been placed in February, but delay has occurred owing to the Naval Conference and the rearrangement of the programme following a reduction in the number of vessels.

As approved by the late Government, the programme included three cruisers, one flotilla leader, eight destroyers, six submarines, one netlayer and target-towing vessel, and six sloops. In a written reply on January 29, 1930, the First Lord indicated that two cruisers, four destroyers, one netlayer, two sloops, and three submarines had been deleted from the programme; and a decision as to proceeding with the three remaining submarines was to be taken after the Naval Conference had been concluded. It has since been intimated that these submarines will be built, two at Chatham and one by contract, but the builders of the latter are not yet announced.

The revised programme therefore is one cruiser, one flotilla leader, four destroyers, four sloops, and three submarines. The cruiser is the LEANDER, at Devonport, with machinery by Vickers-Armstrongs. The flotilla leader is the KEMPENFELT, to be built and engined by White's, of East Cowes, who recently completed three similar vessels for the Argentine Navy. Two destroyers will be built at Portsmouth, an unusual course for vessels of this type, which are usually contract-built. Their machinery will be provided by Hawthorn Leslie and Co., Newcastle-on-Tyne. This leaves only two instead of eight available for the private yards, and the order for them goes to Vickers-Armstrongs. The four sloops had already been ordered, the FOWEY and BIDEFORD at Devonport and the SHOREHAM and ROCHESTER at Chatham.

MOVEMENTS OF SHIPS

ANKING, June 16.—Cornwall left for Hankow.
BERMUDA, June 16.—Despatch left for Belize.
BOMARSUND, June 17.—Vesper left.
DEVONPORT, June 16.—Carstairs left for St. Mary's, Scillies; and Sesame left for Portsmouth.
GERRANS BAY, June 16.—Carstairs arrived, and left for St. Mary's, Scillies, June 17.
GUERNSEY, June 17.—Marlborough and Shower left for Weymouth.
HANKOW, June 16.—Ladybird left for Kiukiang.
HELSINKI, June 17.—Centaur and Sixth Destroyer Flotilla (less Vesper) left for Stockholm.
HONG-KONG, June 15.—Berwick arrived. June 16.—Stormcloud arrived; Somme left on patrol; and Marazion left for Amoy.
MILFORD HAVEN, June 17.—Melpomene left for Devonport.
MIYAJIMA, June 16.—Cumberland left for Wei-hai-Wei.
MOZAMBIQUE, June 16.—Carlisle arrived.
PORTLAND, June 17.—Fermoy and Submarines H 34, H 43, H 44, and R 4 left for Dartmouth; and Noontide arrived.
PORTSMOUTH, June 17.—Furious, Sesame, and Caterham arrived.
RIO GRANDE DO SUL, June 16.—Delhi left for Santos.
ST. MARY'S, SCILLIES, June 17.—Carstairs arrived.
SHASI, June 16.—Mantis arrived.
SHEERNESS, June 16.—Versatile left for Milford Haven.
TORQUAY, June 16.—Emperor of India and Noontide left for Portland.
WEI-HAI-WEI, June 15.—Sandwich arrived.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments were made by the Admiralty yesterday:—

LIEUT. (E.).—T. S. Hayes, to Vulcan (June 20).

SURGN. COMMRS.—H. L. Douglas, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to Dryad (June 17); and C. H. M. Gimlette, M.B., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to President, for duty with Medical Dept., Admiralty, tempy. (June 18).

PAYMR. COMMR.—R. D. Paffard, O.B.E., to President, for victualling course, Part 2 (June 30).

PAYMR. LIEUT.-COMMRS.—E. N. R. Fletcher and B. O'F. Gregory, to President, for victualling course, Part 2 (June 30); and A. W. Laybourne, to President, for duty in Office of the First Sea Lord, Admiralty (July 14).

ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE

LIEUT.—A. T. C. Cooper, to Pangbourne (June 21).

PAYMR. COMMR.—R. M. Heath, R.D., to Victory, for R.N. Barracks (July 12).

ROYAL NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

MIDSHIPMEN.—A. K. Mackelvie, to Hawkins (July 5); F. R. Holmes (proby.), to York (June 28); and W. L. Stephens (proby.), to Norfolk (July 12).

SURGN. COMMR.—A. G. L. Reade, O.B.E., V.D., to Repulse (July 7).

SURGN. LIEUT.—R. B. H. Wyatt, M.A., D.P.H., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., to Frobisher (July 10).

ROYAL MARINES

CAPTS.—W. I. Nonweiler, apptd. Asst. Supt., P.R.T. School, R.M. Depôt, Deal (June 21); and H. W. Simpson, apptd. Instructor of Gunnery, Chatham Divn. (June 21).

Sporting News

GOLF

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

LOW SCORING AT HOYLAKE

(FROM OUR GOLF CORRESPONDENT)

HOYLAKE, JUNE 18

After two days of marking time the real fun began at Hoylake to-day, and any feeling of laziness or depression was soon shaken off when Bobby Jones began with 5's and ended with a gorgeous 70. The one misfortune was that the weather did not wholly behave itself. The thunderstorms which had spared Hoylake and, thank heavens, Nottingham also, came down here to-day and drowned people for half an hour or so in the middle of the day. It looked as if there might be a real deluge, but storms here have a blessed way of going either up the Dee or the Mersey, and things might have been far worse.

When the play began, there was no heat or wind. Everything was still, grey, and sultry, almost too still and hot for golf. First of all came two British hopes, Charles Whitcombe and Mitchell, on one another's heels. Whitcombe's play was the better, and in fact but for one calamitous hole he would have done a very fine score indeed. The calamity came at the 13th, where he played a nightmare game of ping-pong, or perhaps I should call it table tennis, backwards and forwards from bunker to bunker across the narrow green. Apart from that he played beautiful golf, and he is hitting the ball so cleanly and confidently that I do not think anything should stop him from finishing reasonably near the top of the list. He looks full of golf. I would not quite say so much for Mitchell, though, of course, he played many fine shots and threw away two quite gratuitous strokes by hooking his tee shots out of bounds both at the Telegraph and the Briars. He was putting not with his familiar aluminium club, but with a new putting cleek which seemed to be performing its office very satisfactorily.

VON ELM'S DISASTER

Th next big gun to go off was George von Elm, and with him came the first note of real tragedy. He began 4, 5, 5, and then played an iron shot to the Cop of a quality to make a man gasp. It was worthy of Mr. John Ball at his best, and it got him a well-deserved 2. That was all vastly well, and no great harm seemed to be done when he put his second to the Telegraph in one of the bunkers near the green. He lay badly, but I am sure that Hagen would have cut his losses and got a 5 or a 6. Von Elm did not. Twice he failed to get out, and then he got out much too far, right over the green into the hay. He stayed there for a while, and ultimately holed out in a hard-won 9. It is all very well to talk of recovering, but in such a field and such fine weather a 9 means the end. Von Elm struggled on dourly enough and got an 81, but that was hopeless. Who can give Bobby Jones a start of 11 strokes? No man born of woman.

While these things were happening a big crowd was steadily massing by the clubhouse waiting for Jones to start, and presently they advanced over the course in a long black line. The start was dramatic. Just as Jones was going to drive some imbecile clicked a camera at him and he had to begin again. He drove into the ditch under the cop, just got out, and put his third near the edge of the green. Then a lady spectator made explosive noises behind him and he had to break off, walk round like a caged lion, and begin again. He laid the ball dead, and that was a 5, which might have been worse. Another 5 came at the third, where a grand second shot with wood just overran the green and lay heavily in rough grass. At this moment the great man did not look in the least happy. He had told someone before he started that he had never felt less confident and did not know where the ball was going. As to the first part I cannot speak, but as to the second he must have been the only one in the field who did not know, for everybody else knew that it was going straight down the exact middle of the course. He went there and kept on going there; one hole in par followed another with monotonous perfection. Not a single exciting thing happened for a long time, except that one or two beautifully struck putts looked sure to go in and did not. He was out in 36, and then at last a fairly long putt did drop, a six-yarder down the hill for a 3 at the 10th.

A REMARKABLE FINISH

Up to then we had guessed at a 72 or 73, but now we expected a 70. He did make one mistake, a thoroughly bad approach at the 12th, which cost him a 5, but otherwise everything was sheer perfection. True, he took a 5 at the Lake, where he was trapped in a bunker, which he afterwards declared must have grown up in the night like a mushroom, but he made amends by a 10-yard putt for a 3 at the Royal, and all the other holes were 4's and very nearly 3's. It was an amazing round, because it seemed as if it might quite easily have been so much better. And yet from the player's point of view it was probably an ideal start, not too good to be terrifying, and yet good enough to inspire confidence. His putting was magnificent throughout, but blessed with wonderfully little luck. I should have called his wooden club play extremely sound, but he himself could find no epithets strong enough for its condemnation. Why I cannot say, but certainly the ball did now and again go moderately near to bunkers, and twice, yes actually twice, it was in the rough. His iron play was clean and accurate, and if there is another man in the field who can go on playing this kind of golf I do not know who he is. A word of praise is due to Jones's partner, R. H. Oppenheimer, who, though a little overcome by the occasion and in many bunkers, yet recovered so skilfully and gallantly that only a disastrous 7 at the 16th prevented him from having a really good round.

Close behind Jones came Diegel, who was again not on the best of terms with his wooden clubs, and rang the changes on his driver and his brassy without keeping very straight with either. His start was rather characteristic of the whole round: 4, 5, 5, 2, 5, 5. He never quite settled down and he finished badly, and yet he had a 74. This score was beaten by Horton Smith, who got his mistakes, such as they were, over first in an outward half of 37 and came home admirably in 35. I did not see it, neither did I see Robson do his 71, but I know that he putted admirably and, that being so, it is easy to understand his good score, for his fine true swing seldom betrays him in the play up to the hole. Green, of Copt Heath, who had done a 71 in the qualifying round, showed that it was no flash in the pan by doing a 73, and there were various other good scores, but Jones's 70 led the field.

FINE PLAY BY COTTON

It was soon to be challenged, and might well have been beaten by Cotton, who fully maintained the good impression made by his easy, masterly golf in the qualifying round. His out-going golf was better than perfect: 4, 4, 5, 3, 3, 4, 3, 4, 4, and even so, he might well have holed a putt for a 3 at the sixth and a 2 at the seventh, so accurate was his iron play. He had a 2 at the Alps, and went on playing so finely that he was left with three 4's to beat the record and Bobby Jones by two strokes. Most people would strike a bargain with Providence, for 5, 4, 4, for those three holes, and Cotton might well have accomplished that much, but at each of the three holes he put his second shot in a bunker and he was at once most unlucky and thoroughly resolute in getting his 5, 4, 5, and his 70.

The double tie soon became a triple one, for Macdonald Smith did the same score, and he, too, looked like beating it. He went out in six 4's and three 3's, and went on with mechanical precision in 4, 3, 4. Then at last came a mistake. A 4 at the short 13th heralded a row of 5's at the long holes. Once upon a time 5 was deemed the right score for them, but now it is a question of 4's. However, he got a great 3 at the Home Hole, but Hoylake had not yet bowed the knee to the iconoclastic breakers of 70. Behind him came Barnes, and he, too, threatened the record, though less formidably. His 37 out was marred only by a 6 at the long eighth. He began home with a 3 and a 2, had a 5 or two in the middle, and ended with a brilliant brace of 3's for 71. The faster the greens grow the better for Barnes, who loves to coax the ball over ice. He will not approve of rain and thunder.

Last came Compston, playing with the Frenchman, Boyer, a strong player with a nice leisurely way with him. Compston played quite well and yet not well enough to hang on quite closely to Jones's skirts. A couple of holeable putts missed at the eighth and ninth turned 36 into 38. He got a 2 at the Alps, amid much patriotic clapping, but let a shot or two slip after that, including one short putt, and ended in 74. Boyer, who had putted extremely well, had a minor breakdown at the end, but had a 73. Low scores will go on as long as this easy weather lasts. The rain has done the course good, and the local weather experts say that we shall have more fine days.

SCORES

T. H. COTTON (Langley Park)	70
Mr. R. T. JONES (Atlanta, U.S.A.)	70
MACDONALD SMITH (U.S.A.)	70
F. ROBSON (Cooden Beach)	71
J. BARNES (Pelham Manor, U.S.A.)	71
N. SUTTON (Wentworth)	71
HORTON SMITH (Cragston, U.S.A.)	72
T. GREEN (Copt Heath)	73
A. BOYER (Nice)	73
C. A. WHITCOMBE (Crews Hill)	73
P. H. RODGERS (St. Annes Old)	74
Mr. D. K. MOE (Alderwood, U.S.A.)	74
R. HODSON (Chigwell)	74
L. DIEGEL (Agua Caliente, Mexico)	74
A. COMPSTON (Coombe Hill)	74
ABE MITCHELL (Pte. St Albans)	74
P. ALLISS (Wannsee, Berlin)	75
W. G. OKE (Fulwell)	75
A. J. YOUNG (Sonning)	75
P. HIRIGOYEN (Chantilly, France)	75
T. BARBER (Derbyshire)	75
A. J. ISHERWOOD (Warrington)	75
D. C. JONES (N. Manchester)	75
L. HOLLAND (Gerrards Cross)	75
Mr. D. E. B. SOULBY (Fortwilliam)	75
W. G. GIMBER (Seaham Harbour)	75
J. J. TAYLOR (Potters Bar)	76
Mr. J. DE FOREST (Coombe Hill)	76
Mr. H. G. BENTLEY (Hesketh)	76
C. MCILVENNY (Port Elizabeth, S. Africa)	76
E. W. JARMAN (Prenton)	76
J. BRADBEER (Porters Park)	76
S. BURNS (Hendon)	77
S. FAIRWEATHER (Malone)	77
A. PERRY (Leatherhead)	77
E. RAY (Oxhey)	78
H. Crapper (Harrogate)	78
G. GADD (Roehampton)	78
A. H. PADGHAM (R. Ashdown Forest)	78
H. C. KINCH (Woodcote Park, Coulsdon)	78
Mr. W. SUTTON (West Cheshire Artisans)	78
H. MACNEILL (Royal Portrush)	78
C. FRYER (Hesketh)	78
A. DAILEY (Bradley Hall, Halifax)	78
W. NOLAN (Portmarnock)	78
A. MASSY (Chantaco, France)	78
R. A. WHITCOMBE (Parkstone)	78
F. TAGGART (Wilmslow)	78
W. LARGE (Huyton)	78
A. J. LACEY (Selsdon Park)	78
W. T. TWINE (Bromley and Bickley)	78
D. MCCULLOCH (Troon)	78
W. H. DAVIES (Wallasey)	78
Mr. R. H. OPPENHEIMER (R. and A.)	78
Mr. R. W. HARTLEY (Cooden Beach)	78
H. RIMMER (Bidston)	79
H. KIDD (Wiltshire)	79
E. W. H. KENYON (West Lancs)	79
H. LARGE (Grange Park)	79
M. J. BINGHAM (Stourbridge)	79
Mr. W. L. HARTLEY (Chislehurst)	79
J. STAIT (Unattached)	79
J. DALLEMAGNE (St. Germain)	79
A. TINGEY, jun. (Frinton-on-Sea)	79
A. MACDONALD (Downe)	79
A. J. MILES (Denham)	79
MAJOR C. O. HEZLET (Royal Portrush)	79
J. BOND (West Lancs Ladies)	79
D. A. DAVIES (Wallasey)	80
Mr. D. BROWN (Royal Liverpool)	80
E. R. WHITCOMBE (Meyrick Park)	80
A. S. WALLIS (Addington)	80
Mr. F. C. STEVENS (Lakeside, U.S.A.)	80
H. ROBERTS (Stoke Poges)	80
Mr. C. K. COTTON (Stoke Poges)	80
H. CHALK (Preston)	80

81.—G. Kirby (Stoneham), Mr. G. Von Elm (Rancho, U.S.A.), Mr. C. W. Timmis (Leasowe), A. G. Beck (Sherwood Forest), W. C. Thomas (Royal Blackheath), A. R. Bradbeer (Burnham and Berrow), W. J. Branch (Henbury), C. W. Thomson (Royal Eastbourne), J. G. Sherlock (Hunstanton), P. Newbery (Sudbury), P. F. Weston (Birstall), E. P. Hanton (Kingsthorpe).

82.—G. Gonzalez (Royal Puerta de Hirro, Madrid), W. J. Martin (Gay Hill), W. A. McMinn (Ravensworth Park), W. H. Ball (Lancaster).

83.—C. Gray (Willingdon), S. F. Healing (Rhyl), F. C. Jewell (Long Ashton), O. Sanderson (Bradford), E. R. Risebro (Sheringham), Mr. I. S. Thomas (Formby), Mr. T. F. Ellison (Royal Liverpool).

84.—G. Charman (Prince's, Sandwich), Mr. C. J. H. Tolley (R. and A.), G. T. Adams (Hampstead), J. Adams (Kilmarnock).

85.—W. B. Fenton (Haggs Castle), G. Duncan (unattached), J. Shanks (Carlisle and Silloth), N. Winders (Fulwood Park).

87.—H. W. Wooliscroft (Bury).

92.—J. MacDowall (Turnberry).

Retired.—J. Ballantine (Moortown), H. C. Jolly (Foxgrove), and A. R. Wheildon (Moseley).

LADIES' OPEN MEETING AT NORTHWOOD

A ladies' Open Meeting was held at Northwood yesterday, when play was seriously interfered with by heavy rain. The results were:—

SCRATCH.—Mrs. H. Guedalla (Walton Heath), 78; Miss D. Fishwick (North Foreland), 79.

HANDICAP.—SENIOR DIVISION.—Mrs. Goodman (Moor Park), 82 – 9 = 73; Mrs. Coe (Sandy Lodge), 87 – 12 = 75; Mrs. Ritchie (Northwood), 88 – 13 = 75. JUNIOR DIVISION.—Mrs. McGowan (Moor Park), 95 – 22 = 73; Mrs. A. S. Weston (Northwood), 90 – 16 = 74; Mrs. Quick (Northwood), 104 – 30 = 74.

The medal competition of the Truants Golfing Society, which was held at St. George's Hill yesterday, was won by V. Lambourne with a score of 90 – 16 = 74.

FENCING

ARTHUR LYON GOLD MEDAL

The second stage of the Arthur Lyon Gold Medal competition was fought on Tuesday at Bertrand's Fencing Academy, when the foil pools were decided. The same 10 fencers, out of the original entry of 18, who had fought with the *épée* on the previous evening were present on Tuesday, and though the draw was different, it resulted, as before, in one pool of six and one of four.

The latter, which was composed of J. B. Armstrong, C. L. de Beaumont, C. R. Hammersley, and R. Montgomerie, was soon over. Montgomerie was not only the *doyen* of the pool by many years but incomparably the best foilist, and he followed up his success with the *épée* with another undefeated effort with the foil. He did not have matters entirely his own way, for de Beaumont and Armstrong each scored two hits on him and Hammersley one, but he never looked in danger of defeat. Hammersley beat the other two, who had a tremendous fight for the third place, which ran level to three hits all, before de Beaumont, reverting to *épée* tactics, scored the deciding hit with a *flèche* attack.

The competitors in the other pool were Major R. E. Cole, P. G. Doyne, H. Foss, J. Emrys Lloyd, A. G. Pilbrow, and Major R. M. P. Willoughby. Cole, who had a train to catch, fought his five assaults almost consecutively, a strenuous performance at any time, and especially so considering the abnormal temperature on Tuesday. As usual he combined skilful fencing with aggressive attack, and won three of his five fights, but lost to Lloyd and Doyne. Lloyd, as befitted our amateur champion, gave a most convincing performance. He beat Cole, Foss, and Willoughby without a touch, and lost one hit only to Pilbrow, who surprised him with a *prise de fer*. Doyne alone offered strenuous resistance, and the fight between these two was as good an exhibition of foil play as has been seen in London this year. Lloyd led by two hits to one, but Doyne drew level at two all, with a light *riposte* which just reached the target. After some delightful and sparkling exchanges Lloyd went to 3—2 with an attack which got home through a badly formed parry and won the final hit with a *doublé*. The loser's form was so good that it is to be hoped he will be one of Great Britain's representatives with the foil in the forthcoming match against America. With one defeat only he gained second place in the pool; Cole was third, and the other three tied for fourth place with four defeats each.

The present position of competitors with their *épée* and foil aggregates is:—

Montgomerie, no defeat, 15 hits; Lloyd, one defeat, 9 hits; de Beaumont, 4 defeats, 19 hits; Cole, 4 defeats, 23 hits; Doyne, 4 defeats, 24 hits; Foss, 5 defeats, 23 hits; Armstrong, 6 defeats, 26 hits; Willoughby, 6 defeats, 27 hits; Hammersley, 6 defeats, 28 hits; Pilbrow, 8 defeats, 35 hits.

The sabre will be fought on Friday.

Sporting News

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RACING

ONLY TWO RACES AT ASCOT

THE MACNAB WINS

(FROM OUR RACING CORRESPONDENT)

Only two races were decided at Ascot yesterday, the Coronation Stakes and the Royal Hunt Cup, a terrible thunderstorm breaking over the ground just after the second race had been decided and flooding the course. The Stewards decided, as the course was no longer fit for racing, that the remainder of the afternoon's programme should be abandoned and that the undecided races should be run in part this afternoon and in part to-morrow. The races on yesterday's programme which are to be decided this afternoon are the Bessborough Stakes, the Churchill Stakes, and the Fern Hill Stakes. The other races on yesterday's programme to be decided to-morrow are the King Edward VII. Stakes and the Chesham Stakes. The scenes at Ascot yesterday aftrenoon are described on page 14.

The going yesterday was much heavier than it had been on the previous afternoon, heavy rains having fallen overnight and during the early morning, when a part of the stands had been struck by lightning. The Royal Hunt Cup, which has always been a most interesting and popular handicap, was won from beginning to end by Mr. Dewar's four-year-old colt The MacNab, by Abbots Trace out of Sunny Moya, ridden by Fox and trained at Beckhampton by F. Darling. It was raining, but merely lightly compared with the downpour which followed, when the horses went down to the start, and the light was not too good while the race was being run. Yet so soon as the field came over the hill it was easy to see that The MacNab was in front on the Stand side of the course, with Grand Idol, drawn in the middle of the course but now much nearer the Stand side, second. Other runners who were prominent were Le Phare, Midlothian, Miss Linn, and, I think, Caballero. Lucky Tor and Lion Hearted were a long way behind the leaders, while nothing could be seen of Guards' Parade and Songe, last year's winner. It was learned later that they had been left at the post, and, much later, they came in by themselves. Soon after the field had come into sight Midlothian fell back, and Miss Linn and Caballero also vanished from prominent positions. The MacNab and Grand Idol coming on in front for the moment unchallenged. A furlong or more from the winning-post it was certain that The MacNab would win and that Grand Idol would be second. Others closed up on them, but never appeared likely to catch them any more than Grand Idol seemed likely to catch the leader, and The MacNab won decisively by a length from Grand Idol, with Lion Hearted half a length away third. If only Lion Hearted had got off with the leaders he might have won. As it was, he would have won in another 100 yards. Fleeting Memory, who was also running on, was fourth, and Leonidas II. fifth. Six Wheeler also ran well, but Lucky Tor, Ecilath, and Midlothian all ran very badly and much below their best form. The MacNab had run in the Jubilee, when he was unplaced to Lucky Tor, Six Wheeler, and Lion Hearted, and on that running, in spite of the changed weights, he did not appear to have any reasonable chance of success yesterday. Like so many other horses trained by F. Darling, he has made great improvement recently. No trainer in recent years has so developed the knack of sending his horses to the post so wonderfully well on the occasion which matters most. He has inherited that great gift from his father, who was one of the greatest of all trainers. This was the fourth winner saddled by Darling in the two days of the meeting. And there are no doubt many more to come.

The only other race decided during the afternoon was the Coronation Stakes, a race over a mile for three-year-old fillies and one of the richest stakes decided during the meeting. It was won by Qurrat-al-Ain, who had not run since the One Thousand Guineas, when she had been very narrowly beaten for a place. She had then finished just in front of Rose of England, who had later won the Oaks, and who for that success had to carry a penalty, with the result that she had to give Qurrat-al-Ain 7lb. yesterday. The Newmarket form was reproduced, which means that at the different weights Qurrat-al-Ain finished in front of Rose of England, but she did more than that, for she won the race cleverly by a neck from the unconsidered Fly-leaf, with the French filly Diademe a length away third and Rose of England fourth. Micmac, who had run well in the Oaks, was fifth. With the exception of Fly-leaf, who had run only once before as a two-year-old and about whom I know nothing, the form was about correct. Beary, who, before riding this winner had ridden some 50 losers in succession, rode a nice race on the winner, who began slowly and was at one time many lengths behind the leaders, who were always Fly Leaf and Diademe. He may have been lucky to find an opening near the rails in the Straight, but at the same time he did well to take it very quickly and very neatly, and when once he had made it the race was over.

There will be 10 races on this afternoon's programme. I give an analysis of them below.

TO-DAY'S PROSPECTS

1.0.—Bessborough Stakes (1½m.).—This is one of the few handicaps decided during the meeting and another of Mr. Dawkins's puzzles. Several of the horses who were in the Ascot Stakes appear again here. As in that race, Poor Man has been dropped in the handicap and on his best form has a nice chance. He missed the race on Tuesday to take part in this contest. Moyresque, in spite of a penalty, must have a good chance if in his Epsom form, but he has none on his Chester running. Defoe is very much better handicapped on Salisbury form than Clear Cash, and he seems fairly in with the others. Defoe must, therefore, be considered as having a good chance at the weights. He has always been a colt of whom I expected much, but so far he has been disappointing, although he won a good race at Goodwood last summer. A reproduction of that form would give him a very good chance this afternoon. Gentlemen's Relish has a chance on Manchester form if more use is made of her undoubted stamina than was the case there. Defoe is much better handicapped than Steerforth on Salisbury form. It is so seldom that Mr. Dawkins makes a mistake in a handicap that it is hard to believe that one has found one here, but he does seem to me to have given DEFOE too little weight, and he is, therefore, my selection.

1.30.—Churchill Stakes (2m.).—There will, for Ascot, be only a small field here, among them being Montclair, Alcester, and Ardglass. MONTCLAIR seems to me to have the best chance.

2.0.—Fern Hill Stakes (5f.).—I understand that after all Diolite is to be started here, which means that his trainer does not think that his preparation for a race like the Derby has taken the edge off his speed. If he can win this race, which is always run at a great speed, and also stay the Derby or the St. Leger distances then he is a better colt than even I think that he is. I hope that he does win, but I do not consider that I am justified in making him a selection in view of my comments just made. Stingo has shown that he is very fast indeed, and has been running over short distances for some time. Friarvine has a chance, while so, if he were started, would Fiesole have, for he is still one of the best of his age seen out, even if he may not be improving. Diolite or Stingo should win. I prefer the chance of STINGO.

2.30.—Granville Stakes (5f.).—Old Friend is useful, but there are others who seem to have better chances over this distance. The well-bred Confetti was very useful as a two-year-old in Ireland and was probably running out of her distance when she was started in the One Thousand Guineas. She has a good chance if back in her old form. Scotford missed a race yesterday to be started here, where she has, at the weights, a better chance. On the Free Handicap weights of last autumn she meets Polar Bear just as Mr. Dawkins would weight them if this event were a handicap. They can meet the others according to those weights on better terms than they would if this were a handicap. It seems, therefore, reasonable to select one or the other of them to win. Each has shown this season that he and she are as good as three-year-olds as they were as two-year-olds. I do not know which to choose, so I have tossed for it and POLAR BEAR has won. Accordingly he is my selection.

3.0.—The Gold Cup (2½m.).—This is not only the most important event of the meeting but also one of the most important races in the world and, as on many occasions before is an international event. Unfortunately the Italian-owned Ortello will not be started. He had shown himself, not only in Italy but also in France to be one of the very best horses in training on the Continent. He had reached Newmarket to be trained for this event when he fell and hurt his knees. His training was, as a result so much interfered with that he had to be sent back to his country. He would have been difficult to beat. After him the best of the invading force would seem to be Hotweed, who won the Grand Prix last summer. He has beaten Feb, another of the invaders, in France this year, although it is to be noted that Feb has since won two races and is believed to have a chance this afternoon. Palais Royal II., apparently, is not to be started but even if he were the distance here would, in my opinion, beat him. I regard Hotweed as the best of the invaders, but I do not see why he should beat the best of our runners. After all, it took him all his time to beat Buland Bala in France last summer, and Buland Bala, useful as he was, was never quite in our top class. To confirm that impression we must look at the St. Leger of last year, and there we find Hotweed unplaced behind Bosworth, who will be in this afternoon's field. Bosworth has run only once this year, when he gave a lot of weight and a beating to Trimdon, who won the Gold Vase this week with ease. That running suggests that Bosworth is fully as good a four-year-old as he was a three-year-old, so that I do not see any reason why I should prefer the chance of Hotweed to that of Bosworth.

After running second in the St. Leger, Bosworth again finished second, this time in the Jockey Club Stakes. Fourth in that race was Friendship, who is to run this afternoon. On that running Bosworth is 3lb. better than Friendship, apart from the weight-for-age allowance, which means that Bosworth is relatively a stone better horse than Friendship, and this afternoon Friendship has to give Bosworth 4lb. Friendship will have the advantage of being ridden by Carslake, one of the best riders over this course that I have seen, but even that advantage should not enable him to beat Bosworth. The only other horse that I think I need consider is The Bastard, whose name, in spite of French history, I should hate to see enrolled with the other great horses who have won this race. However, apart from a perhaps too sensitive mind, it cannot be doubted that The Bastard would be a worthy winner, for he is very well bred and can certainly stay, while his owner, for his great services to the Turf certainly deserves to win such a race as this. On last year's form I cannot make Lord Rosebery's colt have any chance in this race, but like many others sired by Spion Kop he is relatively a much better four-year-old than he was a three-year-old, and he was certainly improving all last year. This year he has run only once, when he won the Yorkshire Cup, run over two miles, easily from Dark Hillock and Highbury, with Bonny Boy II., who was giving him 2lb., unplaced, and since then Bonny Boy II. has won the Ascot Stakes with 8st. 5lb. It can be argued from this form that The Bastard, through Dark Hillock, is about a stone in front of Mountain Lad. Now Haste Away, on Lingfield form, is only a few pounds in front of Mountain Lad. He was receiving 8lb. and won easily, so that quite likely he is 7lb. in front of Mr. Sutton's horse, which seems to me to mean that The Bastard is some 7lb. in front of Haste Away, who, on St. Leger form, is not so much as 7lb. behind Bosworth. I would, I think, therefore be justified in making The Bastard give a few pounds to Bosworth if this were a handicap. THE BASTARD is therefore my selection for the race.

3.30.—Rous Memorial Stakes (7f. 155yds.).—Barrack Law, Iliad, and several others in this race have already run at the meeting, and the best of the probable starters certainly seems to me to be SIR COSMO, who won at this meeting a year ago. He was, indeed, never beaten last year, when over his own distance he showed himself to be a very high-class horse. He has run once this season, over a distance which he could never stay, but he ran very well indeed for nearly a mile. He is no doubt much fitter now, and should, I think, win. At any rate, I cannot see anything in the race among the probable starters who should beat him at the weights.

4.0.—Waterford Stakes (1m.).—TREWS has been a disappointing animal, but there does not seem anything here who should beat him.

4.30.—New Stakes (5f.).—Cameronian, who won at Salisbury in the style of a very good colt, does not run here, as he is suffering from sore shins. The best of the others seems to be SORDO, who had apparently been well tried before winning at York. From the way in which he was backed no doubt he is better than that form indicates, and he is my selection.

5.0.—Cork and Orrery Stakes (6f.).—Rattlin the Reefer ran well at York and not badly at Epsom. This course will suit him better than most courses, and he won over it last year. Golden King has a lot of weight, but is useful, and I consider that if this were a handicap Reedsmouth would be set to give weight to Golden King and not to receive it. On York form also Reedsmouth has the beating of Golden Oracle. Queen's Orb and Costaki Pasha are others who may run well. I like best the chance of REEDSMOUTH.

5.30.—Ribblesdale Stakes (1m.).—Ghost Train runs here and may run well, but in spite of his past successes he has never been a colt who appealed to me. Roral was very unlucky at Epsom and was a good two-year-old. Still he has a big weight here. Flying Argosy must have a chance on his Free Handicap form. For the winner, however, I shall choose MEREDITH, who was very much expected to win a race early in the season at Newmarket. He has not run since, but if he is even nearly as good as was then thought—and he comes from a stable which does not make mistakes—then he should win this race with only 7st. 7lb. to carry.

NEWMARKET PROSPECTS

(FROM OUR NEWMARKET CORRESPONDENT)

We have a lot of horses at Ascot for the third day's racing. Haste Away has a big task to win the Bessborough Stakes, but he is a very useful horse. One I like better, however, is BOLDERO, who is a winner of two races this season. He is a good stayer and he is fancied.

The Fern Hill Stakes is the class of race to suit LADY ABBESS.

In the Granville Stakes Cedarwood comes from a stable in very good form, and he may prove the best from Headquarters, but I do not select him with any great confidence.

In the Gold Cup Cacao probably will not run. Bosworth has never looked so well as at present, and has done a strong preparation. He is undoubtedly one of the best horses in training. Another very useful horse is The Bastard, who is greatly fancied, and it is only a slight preference that I give to BOSWORTH.

I understand that the Rous Memorial Stakes will be the selected race for Sir Cosmo, who has been prepared for the meeting. No better-looking horse will be sent to the post, and he is a winner over the course. Woodchuck and Lansdowne are fit and well, but I doubt if either is good enough to win, and my selection is SIR COSMO.

For the Waterford Stakes EYES FRONT and Wedding Favour will be started. The former is a winner and is just as good as his form shows. He will prove our best.

As a rule the New Stakes brings out several smart two-year-olds, but I doubt if Headquarters will supply one, although we shall be represented by five or six runners. Philae is fancied a little, but I look to TWELFTH NIGHT to give us the best chance. He was useful in the early part of the season, and Beatty has him looking really well.

In the Cork and Orrery All-Aged Stakes, as Rattlin the Reefer waits to run to-morrow, nothing trained here will beat TOMMY ATKINS. He is quite up to the big weight which he is set to carry, and it is the kind of race to suit him.

In the Ribblesdale Stakes Ghost Train will represent Clarehaven Lodge, but I doubt if he can give the weight to FLYING ARGOSY, who I have not seen go so well in his gallops as he has done lately. Annis is well fancied by her connexions.

ASCOT PROGRAMME

(The letter "a" is prefixed to the names of horses which have arrived)

1.0.—The BESSBOROUGH STAKES (handicap) of 15 sovs. each, 5 sovs. forfeit if declared by Tuesday, June 10, with 1,000 sovs. added for the winner, 200 sovs. for the second, and 100 sovs. for the third. Swinley Course (a mile and a half).

		Yrs	st	lb
aHaste Away (Mr. C. W. Gordon)	J. Jarvis	4	9	0
Saracen (Major J. S. Courtauld)	B. Jarvis	5	9	0
aPoor Man (Major D. Dixon)	S. Darling	5	8	12
Posterity (Mrs. G. Glorney)	Sneyd	4	8	9
aBrumeux (Mr. A. K. Macomber)	S. Darling	5	8	9
aGrease Paint (Sir C. Hyde)	Scobie	4	8	8
aMoyresque (7lb. ex.) (Mr. W. M. Cazalet)	Lawson	4	8	7
aClear Cash (Sir J. Grey)	O. Anthony	5	8	6
aMontclair (Mr. E. Esmond)	J. Jarvis	5	8	4
Paul Carey (Mr. W. M. G. Singer)	Lawson	4	8	3
aDefoe (Lord Woolavington)	F. Darling	4	8	1
aOx and Ass (Mrs. G. H. Drummond)	Digby	5	8	0
aBoldero (Mr. J. S. Austen)	C. Waugh	5	8	0
aBurnside (Sir W. Gilbey)	T. Cannon	a	8	0
aLulworth Cove (Lady Curzon of Kedleston)	W. Nightingall	a	7	12
Yellow Oriel (Sir D. Llewellyn)	F. Hartigan	4	7	11
aLyme Regis (His Majesty)	W. Jarvis	4	7	9
The Niche (Sir L. Philipps)	J. Jarvis	4	7	8
aEileandonan (Lord Willoughby de Broke)	H. Leader	6	7	7
Hunting Tower (Lieutenant-Colonel S. Green)	Boyd-Rochfort	5	7	6
Steerforth (Sir W. Cooke)	Read	4	7	6
aStory Teller (Mrs. E. Harmsworth)	Gooch	4	7	4
aGentlemen's Relish (Mr. J. P. Arkwright)	Persse	4	7	4
aNestorian (Mrs. E. Wallace)	J. Beary	5	7	1
Night Rider (Mrs. D'Arcy Baker)	Cundell	4	7	0

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

Haste Away, H. Jelliss; Poor Man, G. Richards; Moyresque, R. Jones; Defoe, F. Fox; Ox and Ass, C. Elliott; Boldero, T. Lowrey; Lulworth Cove, A. Wragg; Lyme Regis, S. Donoghue or F. Lane; Eileandonan, G. Baines; Steerforth, T. Barber; Story Teller, C. Richards; Gentlemen's Relish, K. Robertson; Nestorian, —; Night Rider, L. Tidey; Yellow Oriel, —.

1.30.—The CHURCHILL STAKES of 10 sovs. each, half forfeit, with 1,000 sovs. added for the winner, 200 sovs. for the second, and 100 sovs. for the third; for four-year-olds. Two miles.

		St	lb
aHaste Away (Mr. C. W. Gordon)	J. Jarvis	9	10
aBosworth (Lord Derby)	Frank Butters	9	10
Posterity (Mrs. G. Glorney)	Sneyd	9	10
Lemon Cab (Major J. C. Lewis)	Walter Griggs	9	10
aAlcester (Lord Harewood)	W. Jarvis	9	6
Larking (Mr. E. Esmond)	J. Jarvis	9	6
Ennis Bridge (Major A. Bonsor)	F. Hartigan	9	1
aArdglass (Major D. Dixon)	S. Darling	9	1
aMontclair (Mr. E. Esmond)	J. Jarvis	9	1
aStockcross (Mr. H. C. Sutton)	Gooch	9	1
Belle Mere (Sir J. B. Jardine)	Leach, sen.	8	12
aVisellus (Mr. R. W. Sharples)	Boyd-Rochfort	8	10
aPlot (Lord Astor)	Lawson	8	7
Murphy (Mr. F. W. Wilmot)	G. Bennett	8	3
Prince Rupert (Mr. Hamilton Burt)	Private	7	10
aLuffness (Mr. W. M. Cazalet)	Lawson	7	10
Philamor (Mr. W. T. Sears)	Leach, jun.	7	10
aBorodino (Mr. J. R. Porter)	Porter	7	7
aPutney (Mr. E. Thornton-Smith)	Templeman	7	7

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

Montclair, H. Jelliss; Ennis Bridge, T. Burns; Ardglass, G. Richards; Visellus, J. Childs; Luffness, S. Wragg; Borodino, C. Richards; Putney, F. Fox; Plot, R. Dick.

2.0.—The FERN HILL STAKES of 20 sovs. each, 10 sovs. forfeit, with 1,000 sovs. added for the winner, 200 sovs. for the second, and 100 sovs. for the third. Five furlongs.

		Yrs	st	lb
aStingo (Mr. D. M. Gant)	W. P. Lowe	3	9	7
aCasserole (Mr. J. W. Harvie)	Leach, jun.	3	9	7
aDiolite (Sir H. Hirst)	Templeman	3	9	7
Polar Bear (Mrs. J. B. Joel)	Cottrill	3	9	7
aFriarvine (Mr. G. G. H. Peek)	J. Cannon	3	9	7
aThe Dominie (Mr. C. J. Ryan)	Loftus	3	9	7
aFlying Argosy (Mr. W. Vincent)	Hugh Powney	3	9	7
Golden Manna (Miss Diana Esmond)	In France	3	9	7
aZambelli (M. Pierre Wertheimer)	In France	3	9	4
aFair Diana (Lord Woolavington)	F. Darling	3	9	4
aOceana (Sir A. Bailey)	Cottrill	3	9	4
Aspiration (Lieutenant-Colonel J. Carruthers)	R. J. Colling	3	9	4
aGold Seal (Sir W. Cooke)	De Mestre	3	9	4
aLady Abbess (Lady Cunliffe-Owen)	Leach, sen.	3	9	4
aSister Clover (Mr. C. Wadia)	Molony	3	9	4
Scotford (Mr. E. G. de Mestre)	De Mestre	3	9	4
Vernella (Lord Glanely)	Hogg	3	9	4
aAnn Gudman (The Aga Khan)	R. Dawson	3	9	4
Ready Response c, by Stratford (Mr. B. Davis)	B. Davis	2	7	9
aBackward Glance (Mr. M. Markham)	Barling	2	7	9
aField Master (Mr. W. M. G. Singer)	Lawson	2	7	9
Greystoke (Mr. Vivian Smith)	J. Jarvis	2	7	6
aPearl Cap (Mr. E. Esmond)	In France	2	7	6
aFiesole (Lord Derby)	Frank Butters	2	7	6
aHappy Scot (Mr. E. J. Marshall)	Major Morris	2	7	6

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

Stingo, H. Beasley; Diolite, C. Ray; Polar Bear, —; Friarvine, Jelliss; Zambelli, —; Fair Diana, F. Fox; Oceana, Perryman; Lady Abbess, H. Wragg; Ann Gudman, M. Beary; Ready Response colt, J. Dobie; Backward Glance, J. Sirett; Field Master, G. Richards; Fiesole, T. Weston; The Dominie, —; Flying Argosy, —.

2.30.—The GRANVILLE STAKES of 15 sovs. each, 10 sovs. forfeit if declared by June 10, with 1,000 sovs. added for the winner, 200 sovs. for the second, and 100 sovs. for the third. Five furlongs.

		Yrs	st	lb
aOld Friend (Mr. A. Boazman)	Peacock	3	9	7
aDiocletian (Lord D'Abernon)	Beatty	3	9	4
aCasserole (Mr. J. W. Harvie)	Leach, jun.	3	9	4
aConfetti (Mr. J. J. Maher)	Persse	3	9	4
aRapahannock (Sir B. Sheffield)	Higgs	3	9	1
aOceana (Sir A. Bailey)	Cottrill	3	9	1
Scotford (Mr. E. G. De Mestre)	De Mestre	3	9	1
aFanatist (Mr. S. B. Joel)	Earl	3	9	0
Polar Bear (Mrs. J. B. Joel)	Cottrill	3	9	0
Millennium (Mr. S. Vlasto)	Ireland	3	9	0
The Masher (Mr. F. W. Wilmot)	Gwilt	3	9	0
Faithful Tag (Mr. P. Kelly)	Ireland	3	8	11
Shirazy (The Aga Khan)	R. Dawson	3	8	11
Taj Shirin (The Aga Khan)	R. Dawson	3	8	11
aZambelli (M. P. Wertheimer)	In France	3	8	11
Golden Earl (Mr. H. G. Blagrave)	Blagrave	3	8	7
aCedarwood (Mr. J. C. Denison-Pender)	Gilpin	3	8	7
aPolveraja (Mr. S. B. Joel)	Earl	3	8	7
The Dominie (Mr. C. J. Ryan)	Loftus	3	8	7
Archimedes (Mr. W. J. Waldron)	R. Jones	3	8	7
aTetrapodos (Mr. J. M. Woodville)	Sneyd	3	8	7
aBellatrace (Mr. J. A. Hirst)	R. W. Colling	3	8	4
Leghorn Tor f, by Lanceguye (Mr. W. M. G. Singer)	Watts	2	6	13

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

Old Friend, W. Nevett; Diocletian, R. Perryman; Casserole, H. Leach; Confetti, H. Beasley; Rapahannock, M. Wing; Scotford, C. Ray; Polar Bear, S. Donoghue; The Masher, G. Richards; Faithful Tag, J. Patman; Taj Shirin, M. Beary; Zambelli, —; Golden Earl, J. Collins; Cedarwood, P. Beasley; The Dominie, F. Fox; Archimedes, A. Burns; Tetrapodos, J. Childs; Bellatrace, R. James.

3.0.—The GOLD CUP, value 500 sovs., added to a sweepstakes of 20 sovs. each, half forfeit, with 3,500 sovs. added for the winner, 700 sovs. for the second, and 300 sovs. for the third. To start at the Cup Post and go once round (two miles and a half).

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

ATHFORD, b h, by Blandford—Athasi (Mr. W. Barnett), 5 yrs, 9st. 4lb. (R. Dawson)	M. Beary
FRIENDSHIP, b c, by Son-in-Law—Lady of Lisle (Mr. J. B. Joel), 5 yrs, 9st. 4lb. (C. Peck)	B. Carslake
FEB, b c, by Clarissimus—Foliosa (M. S. Guthmann), 5 yrs, 9st. 4lb. (In France)	W. Sibbritt
BOSWORTH, b or br c, by Son-in-Law—Serenissima (Lord Derby), 4 yrs, 9st. (Frank Butters)	T. Weston
HOTWEED, b c, by Bruleur—Seaweed (Mr. E. Esmond), 4 yrs, 9st. (In France)	E. Garner
THE BASTARD, b c, by Spion Kop—Valescure (Lord Rosebery), 4 yrs, 9st. (J. Jarvis)	H. Wragg

3.30.—The ROUS MEMORIAL STAKES of 10 sovs. each, half forfeit to the Rous Memorial Fund, with 1,000 sovs. added for the winner, 200 sovs. for the second, and 100 sovs. for the third. Hunt Cup Course (seven furlongs and 155 yards).

		Yrs	st	lb
aRacedale (Dowager Lady Nunburnholme)	Boyd-Rochfort	4	9	3
aSir Cosmo (Sir R. Garton)	Walters	4	8	13
Speyside (Mr. Berry)	F. Morgan	5	8	12
aGolden Oracle (Captain H. Whitworth)	Boyd-Rochfort	5	8	12
Cragadour (Count McCormack)	R. Dawson	4	8	10
Bara (M. M. Boussac)	In France	4	8	10
aSargasso (Lord Derby)	Frank Butters	4	8	10
aGrand Terrace (The Aga Khan)	R. Dawson	4	8	10
Golden Rain (Sir Mathew Wilson)	W. Nightingall	4	8	10
aBarrack Law (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen)	O. Bell	4	8	7
Arguide (Lady Hillingdon)	Boyd-Rochfort	4	8	7
aFuzzy Wuzzy (Mr. J. B. Joel)	C. Peck	4	8	7
aBarbizon (Lord Londonderry)	O. Bell	4	8	7
aChristopher Robin (Lieutenant-Colonel G. Loder)	Gilpin	3	8	2
Press Gang (Lord Woolavington)	F. Darling	3	8	2
aMalakoff (Mr. Reid Walker)	Bullock	3	8	0
aBotany Bay (Lord Derby)	Frank Butters	3	7	9
Meistersinger (Mr. S. W. Beer)	Leach, jun.	3	7	9
aFrankchase (Mr. D. Crossman)	Pope	3	7	9
aKemmel (Duke of Portland)	F. Darling	3	7	9
aWoodchuck (Mr. E. Esmond)	J. Jarvis	3	7	9
Sphinx II. (M. M. Boussac)	In France	3	7	4
aSingapore (Lord Glanely)	Hogg	3	7	4
aLansdowne (Lord Glanely)	Hogg	3	7	4
Foxhill (Mr. J. B. Joel)	C. Peck	3	7	4
Roar (Mr. J. B. Joel)	C. Peck	3	7	4
aPolveraja (Mr. S. B. Joel)	Earl	3	7	4
aIliad (Mr. S. Tattersall)	Lawson	3	7	4
Steel Boy (Mr. E. Esmond)	J. Jarvis	3	7	4
aSister Norah (Lord Woolavington)	F. Darling	3	7	1
aBachelora (Sir E. Esmond)	Gooch	3	7	1
aTefnut (Sir J. Rutherford)	R. Day	3	7	1
Scotch Legend (Miss H. V. Smith)	J. Rhodes	3	7	1

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

Sir Cosmo, J. Childs; Cragadour or Grand Terrace, M. Beary; Golden Rain, R. Dick; Barrack Law, H. Wragg; Fuzzy Wuzzy, B. Carslake; Frankchase, T. Weston; Kemmel, F. Fox; Woodchuck, T. Lowrey; Lansdowne, G. Richards; Bachelora, —.

4.0.—The WATERFORD STAKES of 10 sovs. each and 10 sovs. extra if forfeit be not declared by the Tuesday in the week before running, with 1,000 sovs. added for the winner, 200 sovs. for the second, and 100 sovs. for the third; for three-year-olds. Old Mile.

		st	lb
aChristopher Robin (Lieutenant-Colonel G. Loder)	Gilpin	9	12
Teacup (The Aga Khan)	R. Dawson	9	12
aEyes Front (Sir G. Noble)	Dundas	9	8
aWoodchuck (Mr. E. Esmond)	J. Jarvis	9	5
Nick of Time (Captain L. Montagu)	F. Hartigan	9	5
Rear Admiral (Commodore F. Talbot Ponsonby)	Persse	9	1
aTrews (Lord Astor)	Lawson	8	7
aSilver Flare (Major J. S. Courtauld)	B. Jarvis	8	7
aGrand Salute (Lord Glanely)	Hogg	8	7
aHephaestus (Mr. C. W. Gordon)	J. Jarvis	8	7
aPolveraja (Mr. S. B. Joel)	Earl	8	7
aDick Swiveller (Lord Woolavington)	F. Darling	8	7
aMignonette (Baron E. de Rothschild)	Pratt	8	3
aBachelora (Mr. E. Harmsworth)	Gooch	8	3
aWedding Favour (Lord H. de Walden)	D. Waugh	8	3

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

Tea Cup, M. Beary; Eyes Front, C. Elliott; Rear Admiral, H. Beasley; Trews, R. Dick; Grand Salute, G. Richards; Hephaestus, H. Jelliss; Dick Swiveller, F. Fox; Mignonette, —; Bachelora, F. Lane; Wedding Favour, M. Wing.

4.30.—The NEW STAKES of 10 sovs. each and 10 sovs. more if forfeit be not declared by June 10, with 1,000 sovs. added for the winner, 200 sovs. for the second, and 100 sovs. for the third; for two-year-olds. Five furlongs.

		St	lb
aLemnarchus (Lord Ellesmere)	F. Darling	9	5
aCoot (Lord Astor)	Lawson	8	10
aLove-oil c, by Phalaris (Sir A. Bailey)	R. Day	8	10
aMiss Matty c, by Golden Myth (Sir A. Bailey)	R. Day	8	10
aPhilae (Mrs. L. G. Barbrook)	Dundas	8	10
aTwelfth Night (Mrs. W. Beer)	Beatty	8	10
aGoyescas (M. M. Boussac)	In France	8	10
Reveillon (Sir G. Bullough)	J. Jarvis	8	10
Money Order (Mr. I. J. Bradlaw)	J. Anthony	8	10
Plunkette c, by Polyphontes (Major H. Cayzer)	Gooch	8	10
aDisarmament (Mr. H. F. Clayton)	Elsey	8	10
aElixir (Lady Cunliffe-Owen)	Leach, sen.	8	10
aMacduff (Lieutenant-Colonel O. C. Clare)	Allden	8	10
Breadwinner (Mr. J. C. Denison-Pender)	Gilpin	8	10
Cameronian (Mr. J. A. Dewar)	F. Darling	8	10
Glenalmond (Mr. J. A. Dewar)	F. Darling	8	10
aQuatrefoil (Mr. E. Esmond)	J. Jarvis	8	10
Vamos (Vicomte de Fontarce)	R. Dawson	8	10
aSordo (Mr. D. M. Gant)	W. P. Lowe	8	10
aShandon (Lord Glanely)	Hogg	8	10
aPlantagenet (Sir G. Hennessy)	T. Cannon	8	10
aDiplomat (Sir H. Hirst)	Templeman	8	10
Chinese Measure (Major L. B. Holliday)	De Mestre	8	10
aSherab (The Aga Khan)	R. Dawson	8	10
aLightning Star (Mr. J. B. Leigh)	Sneyd	8	10
Royal Rufus (Mrs. A. Mackintosh)	F. Hartigan	8	10
aSt. George (Sir L. Philipps)	J. Jarvis	8	10
aCarmelus (Sir C. Pulley)	Walter Griggs	8	10
aRidgeway (Lord Rosebery)	J. Jarvis	8	10
aHomer (Mr. A. de Rothschild)	Watson	8	10
El Cachorro (Mr. S. J. Unzue)	In France	8	10
aHell's Bells (Mrs. S. Whitburn)	Cottrill	8	10
aTilt (Mr. D. L. Wilson)	Leach, jun.	8	10
aPraetor (Mr. W. Woodward)	Boyd-Rochfort	8	10
aBerrydale (Lord Woolavington)	F. Darling	8	10
aPaul Pry (Lord Woolavington)	Gilpin	8	10

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PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

Miss Matty colt, J. Dines; Philae, R. James; Twelfth Night, J. Leach; Goyescas, —; Disarmament, —; Glenalmond or Berrydale, F. Fox; Sordo, H. Beasley; Shandon, G. Richards; Plantagenet, J. Sirett; Diplomat, M. Wing; Chinese Measure, C. Ray; Sherab, M. Beary; Lightning Star, S. Donoghue; Royal Rufus, T. Burns; Carmelus, F. Winter; Ridgeway, H. Wragg; Homer, R. Perryman; Tilt, H. Leach; Praetor, J. Childs; Paul Pry, P. Beasley.

5.0.—The CORK AND ORRERY ALL-AGED STAKES of 5 sovs. each and 5 sovs. extra if not declared by June 10, with 1,000 sovs. added for the winner, 200 sovs. for the second, and 100 sovs. for the third. Six furlongs (straight).

		Yrs	st	lb
aTommy Atkins (Mr. W. T. Sears)	Leach, jun.	6	10	5
Rattlin the Reefer (Lord Woolavington)	Gilpin	4	10	5
Golden King (Mr. F. Hartigan)	F. Hartigan	5	10	1
aLa Fayette (M. P. Wertheimer)	In France	4	10	1
Reedsmouth (Lord Wyfold)	Persse	4	9	12
aGolden Oracle (Captain H. Whitworth)	Boyd-Rochfort	5	9	12
Costaki Pasha (The Aga Khan)	R. Dawson	4	9	9
Ring o' Roses (Mr. W. J. Waldron)	R. Jones	4	9	8
aFuzzy Wuzzy (Mr. J. B. Joel)	C. Peck	4	9	5
aFanatist (Mr. S. B. Joel)	Earl	3	9	1
Queen's Orb (Mrs. E. Wallace)	J. Beary	3	8	11
Follow Thru (Miss N. Wilmot)	Wilmot	3	8	8
aPolveraja (Mr. S. B. Joel)	Earl	3	8	4
San Paulo (Mr. J. C. Denison-Pender)	Gilpin	3	8	0
aChevy Slyme (Lord Woolavington)	Gilpin	3	8	0
aSister Norah (Lord Woolavington)	F. Darling	3	8	0

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

Golden King, F. Fox; La Fayette, —; Reedsmouth, H. Beasley; Golden Oracle, J. Childs; Costaki Pasha, M. Beary; Ring o' Roses, R. Jones; Fuzzy Wuzzy, Carslake; Polveraja, T. Lowrey; Chevy Slyme, —.

5.30.—The RIBBLESDALE STAKES of 15 sovs. each, 10 sovs. forfeit if declared by June 10, with 1,000 sovs. added for the winner, 200 sovs. for the second, and 100 sovs. for the third. Old Mile.

		Yrs	st	lb
aRacedale (Dowager Lady Nunburnholme)	Boyd-Rochfort	4	9	12
aGhost Train (Lord Woolavington)	Gilpin	4	9	4
aRoral (Sir A. Bailey)	Cottrill	3	8	12
aDiolite (Sir H. Hirst)	Templeman	3	8	12
Bennachie (the late Mr. A. B. Walker)	Persse	3	8	7
aThe Recorder (Mr. J. A. Dewar)	F. Darling	3	8	7
Noble Star (Mr. H. P. Nickalls)	Cundell	3	8	4
aKemmel (Duke of Portland)	F. Darling	3	8	4
aPart Four (Mr. W. J. Fryer)	Clement	3	8	0
aFanatist (Mr. S. B. Joel)	Earl	3	8	0
aFlying Argosy (Mr. W. Vincent)	Hugh Powney	3	8	0
aAnnis (Lord Rosebery)	J. Jarvis	3	7	11
Lycidas (Lord Rosebery)	J. Jarvis	3	7	7
aMeredith (Mr. S. Tattersall)	Lawson	3	7	7
Sir Galahad (Captain A. S. Wills)	Bruce	3	7	7
aDick Swiveller (Lord Woolavington)	F. Darling	3	7	7
Motiwala (The Aga Khan)	R. Dawson	3	7	7
Rolalad (Mr. D. Fraser)	R. Day	3	7	4
aChevy Slyme (Lord Woolavington)	Gilpin	3	7	4

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS

Ghost Train, P. Beasley; Roral, Perryman; Part Four, K. Robertson; Flying Argosy, T. Weston; Annis, G. Richards; Meredith, F. Fox; Chevy Slyme, —.

ASCOT RESULTS

1.30 (1.34).—The CORONATION STAKES of 100 sovs. each, with 1,000 sovs. added for winner, 400 sovs. for second, and 200 sovs. for third; for three-year-old fillies. Old Mile.

QURRAT-AL-AIN, b or br f, by Buchan—Harpsichord (The Aga Khan), 8st. 10lb.	M. Beary	1
FLY-LEAF, br f, by Papyrus—Va Via (Lord Harewood), 8st. 3lb.	F. Lane	2
DIADEME, b f, by Ksar—Durban (M. M. Boussac), 8st. 10lb.	C. Elliott	3
Rose of England (Lord Glanely), 9st. 3lb.	G. Richards	0
Theresina (The Aga Khan), 8st. 10lb.	T. Burns	0
Torchere (Mr. A. de Rothschild), 8st. 10lb.	R. Perryman	0
Micmac (Lord Beaverbrook), 8st. 3lb.	C. Ray	0
Silver Mount (Mrs. C. Rich), 8st. 3lb.	R. Dick	0
Mignonette (Baron E. de Rothschild), 8st. 3lb.	H. Wragg	0
Sardana (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild), 8st. 3lb.	W. Sibbritt	0
Tefnut (Sir J. Rutherford), 8st. 3lb. (car. 8st. 5lb.)	J. Childs	0
Samaria (Sir H. de Trafford), 8st. 3lb.	J. Dines	0
Valediction (Mr. R. Tree), 8st. 3lb. (car. 8st. 4lb.)	R. Jones	0
Sister Norah (Lord Woolavington), 8st. 3lb.	F. Fox	0

(Winner trained by R. Dawson, at Whatcombe)

Betting.—100 to 30 agst Rose of England, 6 to 1 each Qurrat-al-Ain and Valediction, 7 to 1 Torchere, 8 to 1 Micmac, 10 to 1 Sister Norah, 100 to 8 Diademe, 20 to 1 each agst the others.

Won by a neck; one length separated second and third. Rose of England was fourth and Samaria last.

2.30 (2.35).—The ROYAL HUNT CUP (handicap), a piece of plate value 100 sovs. added to sweepstakes of 20 sovs. each, with 2,000 sovs. added for winner, 300 sovs. for second, and 200 sovs. for third. Seven furlongs and 155 yards.

THE MACNAB, b c, by Abbots Trace—Sunny Moya (Mr. J. A. Dewar), 4 yrs, 7st. 8lb.	F. Fox	1
GRAND IDOL, b f, by Grand Parade—Flying Scud (Lord Glanely), 4 yrs, 8st. 11lb.	A. Richardson	2
LION HEARTED, b c, by Sir Gallahad—Guerriere II. (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen), 4 yrs, 8st. 6lb.	H. Wragg	3
Songe (Lord Michelham), 6 yrs, 9st.	J. Childs	0
Leonidas II. (M. M. Boussac), 5 yrs, 8st. 13lb.	G. Richards	0
Lucky Tor (Mr. W. M. G. Singer), 5 yrs, 8st. 10lb.	C. Ray	0
Sidonia (Mr. A. de Rothschild), 4 yrs, 8st. 2lb.	R. Perryman	0
Fleeting Memory (Mr. S. B. Joel), 5 yrs, 8st. 2lb.	C. Elliott	0
Le Phare (The Aga Khan), 4 yrs, 8st.	M. Beary	0
Ecilath (Mr. B. Davis), 4 yrs, 8st.	J. Dobie	0
Saint Nicolas II. (Mr. A. K. Macomber), 5 yrs, 8st.	G. Baines	0
Guards' Parade (Sir A. Bailey), 5 yrs, 7st. 13lb.	F. Lane	0
Caballero (Mr. H. E. Steel), 5 yrs, 7st. 13lb.	J. Kirby	0
Midlothian (Lord Rosebery), 4 yrs, 7st. 12lb.	S. Donoghue	0
Pachalik (Mr. J. A. Phillips), 5 yrs, 7st. 11lb.	S. Wragg	0
N.P.B. (Sir F. Eley), 4 yrs, 7st. 11lb.	W. Sibbritt	0
Six Wheeler (Mr. H. F. Clayton), 5 yrs, 7st. 10lb.	W. Nevett	0
Racedale (Dowager Lady Nunburnholme), 4 yrs, 7st. 8lb.	J. Dines	0
Barbizon (Lord Londonderry), 4 yrs, 7st. 6lb.	T. Lowrey	0
Miss Linn (Mr. W. M. Cazalet), 4 yrs, 7st. 6lb.	J. Sirett	0
Beachcomber (Sir A. Butt), 4 yrs, 7st. 4lb.	C. Richards	0
Sargasso (Lord Derby), 4 yrs, 7st. 3lb. (car. 7st. 5lb.)	T. Weston	0

(Winner trained by F. Darling, at Beckhampton)

Betting.—10 to 1 agst Lion Hearted, 100 to 8 each Lucky Tor, Ecilath, and Six Wheeler, 100 to 7 each Fleeting Memory, Le Phare, and The MacNab, 100 to 6 each Songe, Guards' Parade, Midlothian, and Racedale, 20 to 1 each Sidonia and Miss Linn, 25 to 1 N.P.B., 28 to 1 each Caballero and Grand Idol, 33 to 1 Pachalik, 40 to 1 each agst the others.

Won by a length; half a length separated second and third. Fleeting Memory was fourth and Beachcomber last.

EXTRA TRAINS FOR ASCOT

The Southern Railway announce that, owing to the earlier start at Ascot to-day and to-morrow, an additional luncheon car express will be run from Waterloo each day at 11.48 a.m.

GUARDIAN PARI-MUTUEL PRICES

(2s. Unit—Stake and Winnings)

1.30.—Qurrat-al-Ain, Win 9s. 6d., Place 5s. 3d.; Fly-leaf, Place 34s.; Diademe, Place 6s.

2.30.—The MacNab, Win 27s. 3d., Place 9s. 3d.; Grand Idol, Place 30s. 3d.; Lion Hearted, Place 9s.

Bets on the remaining races are carried forward to to-day or to-morrow, in accordance with the arrangements announced by the Stewards of the Meeting.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS

Northumberland Plate (Newcastle).—Carafe, at 9 a.m. yesterday.
Nimble Plate (Windsor).—Mylee.
Longest Day Stakes (Windsor).—Spinner's Cottage.
King's Stand Stakes (Ascot).—Chestnut Oak.
Buckley Maiden Plate (Birmingham).—Forum II.
Hampton Selling Plate (Sandown Park).—Campaigner.
Sandown Park Engagements.—Blue Bell.
Berkshire Foal Plate (Newbury).—Bucherius and Solino.
Berks Selling Handicap (Newbury).—Arch Rajah.
Newbury Summer Meeting Engagements.—Endale.
Champagne Stakes (Salisbury).—Rosador and Piatti.
Stud Produce Stakes (Newmarket).—Rosador, Myrille, Piatti, Cadival, Nosina, and Chardin II.
Steyning Plate (Brighton).—The Eccentric.
Hamilton Park Engagements.—Thechopin, Aldessan, Julienne, Silver Arrow, Caplerig, and Nun's Vow.
Newcastle Engagements.—Mazor.
All Published Handicaps.—Japonesa.
All Engagements.—White Coral colt (2 yrs) (dead), Maud Musk gelding (2 yrs), Mabella filly (2 yrs), and La Trace.
Birmingham Engagements.—Lall colt (2 yrs).

Melbourne, June 18.—The death of Mr. Walter Hickenbothian, the famous trainer, is announced here to-day. He was one of 12 trainers who have been training racehorses in Australia for more than 60 years.—*Reuter.*

RUGBY FOOTBALL

Wellington, June 18.—The New Zealand team to meet the British team in the first Test Match at Dunedin on Saturday is:—

G. Nepia (Hawkes Bay), back; A. Hart (Taranaki), F. W. Lucas (Auckland), and Oliver (Canterbury), three-quarter backs; A. E. Cooke (Auckland), H. T. Lilburne (Canterbury), five-eighth backs; J. Mill (Hawkes Bay), half-back; C. G. Porter (Wellington), Cottrell (Canterbury), W. R. Irvine (Hawkes Bay), Steere (Hawkes Bay), I. Finlayson (Auckland), R. G. McWilliams (Auckland), W. E. Hazlett (Southland), and Batty (Auckland), forwards. J. Hore (Otago), M. F. Nichols (Wellington), and L. M. Johnson (Wellington), reserves.—*Reuter.*

BOWLS

At the Mackintosh Club, Cardiff, yesterday, the Australian bowlers played their second test match, against Wales, and won by 86 to 66. Details:—

AUSTRALIA		WALES	
A. U. Alley (Victoria) ..	25	S. H. Travers (Macks)	11
R. Donald (N.S.W.) ..	14	H. Williams (Swansea)	26
W. Marsh (Victoria) ..	19	G. A. Chambers (Windsor Penarth) ..	16
G. S. Gay (Victoria) ..	28	J. Pollock (Cardiff) ..	13
Total	86	Total	66

Fortunately for the match at Shirley Park between Surrey and Sussex yesterday the weather kept fine. Surrey, on three rinks, were uppermost, the lead on these giving them the victory by 122 to 107.

Storms delayed the match at Paddington between Middlesex and Warwickshire, but the game was concluded, Middlesex winning by 122 to 107.

LAWN TENNIS

THE WIMBLEDON DRAW

The draw for the Championships, which are to be played on the All-England Courts at Wimbledon, beginning on Monday next, was made yesterday and is given below.

By the process of seeding, those who have charge of the draw try to arrange so that the best players will not meet before the closing rounds of the Tournament. The eight players, therefore, in the Singles and the eight in the Women's Singles, who are judged to be the leading eight players, are placed in different parts of the draw and they could not meet till the number remaining has been reduced to eight. The judgment of those in charge, of course, may err, and form is such an illusory thing that the eight who are left at the end do not always correspond with the eight selected at the start. That is as it should be, and there would be universal disappointment if the Tournament turned out wholly according to plan. Both last year and the year before there were several downfalls among the seeded before they got to the stage of meeting other players who had been similarly honoured. Nothing promotes interest so much as the early fall of some much-fancied player at the hands of one of less renown. The aim of seeding is to keep the foremost players apart till late in the competition, but there is no such lively happening as the sudden rise to prominence of one who has hitherto been regarded as of less account.

The eight seeded players for the Singles were H. Cochet, the champion, W. T. Tilden and J. Borotra, former champions, J. H. Doeg and G. M. Lott, of the United States, H. L. de Morpurgo, of Italy, E. F. Moon, the champion of Australia, and H. W. Austin, of Great Britain. Many may be disappointed that others were not thought worthy of a place among the eight. All are experienced players who have visited Wimbledon more than once, except J. H. Doeg, the youngest of all, from Los Angeles, California, who is a nephew of Mrs. T. C. Bundy (Miss May Sutton), a former champion, who played at Wimbledon last year. This is Doeg's first visit to this country. He is said to be the most vigorous player in service at the present time and an excellent volleyer, though he lacks somewhat in his ground strokes. Cochet and Doeg are in the same half of the draw, but they could not meet till the semi-final round. Cochet will meet the Dutch player, H. Timmer, in the first round. An interesting match in that part of the draw will be between Moon and W. Allison, the American, who won the Doubles a year ago with J. van Ryn. Doeg will have a tough battle in the first round against a player of a far different stamp, N. Sharpe, whose steadiness and persistence from the base line may well bring about the American's early undoing. H. W. Austin meets the Cambridge captain, E. R. Avory. Y. Ohta, the Japanese player, meets G. S. Mangin, one of the reserves of the American Davis Cup team; and the British Davis Cup representative, I. G. Collins, has to play his brother, W. A. R., for a start. Tilden's first opponent is the Indian A. A. Fyzee; and Borotra's is F. Crosbie, but his next may be H. G. N. Lee, who has to meet W. H. Powell first. Lott meets the Indian H. L. Soni; two opponents of long standing, C. H. Kingsley and G. R. O. Crole-Rees, are to play in the first round.

The eight players seeded in the Women's Singles are Mrs. Moody, Mrs. Watson, ranked as second, Miss P. E. Mudford, the most promising of the British women, Miss H. Jacobs, of California, who was runner-up last year, Señorita de Alvarez, who has been runner-up thrice, but was unexpectedly beaten early last year, Mme. Mathieu, of France, Fräulein C. Aussem, of Germany, and Miss Ryan, an old friend. Miss Mudford is the only newcomer to the chosen eight, and her performances this year have well justified the choice. She has drawn, like Mrs. Moody, Miss Jacobs, and Fräulein Aussem, a bye into the second round. Mrs. Watson, who heads the second half of the draw, has to meet Miss B. Nuthall in the first round, a struggle that will be watched with interest, for Miss Nuthall may well prevail and thus oust the British player who did so well against Mrs. Moody in the Wightman Cup match last Saturday. Señorita de Alvarez, who may be unable to play through foot trouble, is drawn to meet Miss M. Palfrey, of the United States, the elder sister of Miss Sarah Palfrey, who made her *début* in the Wightman Cup match at Wimbledon.

The draw is:—

SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Holder—H. Cochet

H. Cochet v. H. Timmer; P. Gaslini v. C. E. Malfroy; S. 7 v. R. Menzel; A. W. Vinall v. B. Bell; E. H. McCauliffe v. H. K. Lester; R. D. Poland v. L. de Borman; Dr. A. H. Fyzee v. J. W. Nuthall; J. H. Shales v. J. B. Gilbert; E. F. Moon v. W. Allison; N. Mishu v. S. W. Harris; N. 1 v. E. C. Peters; H. Satoh v. G. L. Rogers; S. 3 v. A. J. Gerbault; G. O. Jameson v. D. Prenn; I. H. Wheatcroft v. H. J. F. Hunter; J. D. P. Wheatley v. G. P. Hughes.

J. H. Doeg v. N. Sharpe; S. 2 v. M. Ferrier; S. 6 v. S. 8; C. Boussus v. M. S. Ellmer; R. J. Ritchie v. Madan Mohan; M. Malecek v. J. Crawford; Dr. H. Kleinschroth v. J. S. Harrison; H. F. David v. B. M. Clark; H. W. Austin v. E. R. Avory; L. M. Williams v. J. Grandguillot; G. R. Sherwell v. H. Landry; G. Glasser v. H. B. Purcell; Count L. Salm v. O. G. N. Turnbull; Y. Ohta v. G. S. Mangin; R. Miki v. J. M. Hillyard; W. A. R. Collins v. I. G. Collins.

W. T. Tilden v. Dr. A. A. Fyzee; E. O. Mather v. Captain J. H. Frowen; J. Van Ryn v. W. A. H. Duff; J. L. Chamberlain v. H. Chiesa; G. R. Williams v. J. Pennycuick; J. Charanjiva v. D. M. Greig; F. Kuhlmann v. J. Brugnon; A. J. Willard v. E. D. Andrews; H. L. de Morpurgo v. G. E. M. de Ste. Croix; S. 4 v. J. F. G. Lysaght; P. B. de Ricou v. N. 2; B. Hillyard v. F. J. Perry; H. S. Lewis Barclay v. J. C. Gregory; V. Landau v. L. A. Godfree; C. S. Higgins v. Major D. M. Evans; F. Matejka v. T. Harada.

J. Borotra v. F. Crosbie; W. H. Powell v. H. G. N. Lee; K. C. Gandar Dower v. S. 5; J. S. Olliff v. S. 1; V. A. Cazalet v. J. Van der Heide; B. de Kehrling v. H. Rodel; G. L. Tuckett v. P. F. Glover; J. Kozeluh v. N. H. Latchford; G. M. Lott v. H. L. Soni; C. H. Kingsley v. G. R. O. Crole-Rees; H. O. Hopman v. D. Leahong; F. H. D. Wilde v. A. Lamroix; D. R. Rutnam v. E. Du Plaix; P. D. B. Spence v. J. C. Masterman; H. W. Artens v. G. E. Godsell; T. Abe v. D. H. Williams.

WOMEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Holder—Mrs. Wills-Moody

Mrs. F. S. Moody, Fräulien Krahwinkel, Miss E. R. Clarke, Miss E. Goldsworth, Mrs. Bruce May, S. 8, N. 1, Miss M. Canters, Miss P. E. Mudford, Miss C. F. C. Turner, S. 5, Miss G. N. Thompson, S. 4, Mrs. Beamish, Mrs. H. S. Uber, Miss E. Stockel byes.

Señorita E. de Alvarez v. Miss M. Palfrey; Miss M. E. Dix v. Miss E. H. Smith; Miss C. Tyrrell v. Mrs. E. Robertson; Miss C. Hardie v. Miss G. Harry; S. 7 v. Fräulien A. Peitz; Miss J. Morfey v. Mrs. Pittman; Mrs. A. D. Stocks v. Miss J. C. Ridley; Miss S. Palfrey v. Miss B. Yorke; Mme. Mathieu v. S. 2; Mrs. L. G. Owen v. Mrs. F. Whittingstall; Miss E. M. Dearman v. S. 3; Miss J. Fry v. Miss R. Watson; Mme. Charpenel v. Miss G. R. Sterry; Miss B. Feltham v. Miss O. L. Webb; S. 1 v. Miss M. Heeley; Mrs. Satterthwaite v. Mrs. J. S. Colegate.

Mrs. M. Watson v. Miss B. Nuthall; Miss N. M. Lyle v. Miss M. R. Couquerque; Mrs. R. E. Haylock v. Mrs. C. H. Jameson; Mrs. E. Dam v. Miss E. Hemmant; Miss N. Trentham v. Mrs. F. M. Strawson; Miss E. H. Harvey v. Mme. Henrotin; Mrs. M. A. O. Mayne v. Mrs. H. V. Edwards; Mrs. C. G. McIlquham v. Miss V. Marshall; Miss Ryan v. Miss H. M. Brooke; Miss V. H. Montgomery v. Mrs. V. Burr; Mlle. J. Sigart v. Miss E. Cross; Mrs. Dudley Cox v. Miss D. Gordon; Mlle. S. Payot v. Miss R. Vlasto; Miss M. Elton v. S. 6; Miss K. Le Messurier v. Miss M. Scriven; Miss M. Greef v. Mrs. T. Wolf.

Miss H. Jacobs, Mrs. A. H. Mellows, Miss M. Slaney, Miss J. Sandison, Mlle. Barbier, Mrs. W. D. List, Miss D. E. Anderson, Miss S. K. Johnson, Fräulein C. Aussem, Miss W. M. C. Bower, Mlle. V. Gallay, Mrs. A. V. Bridge, N. 2, Mrs. R. Lycett, Miss D. E. Round, and Mlle. J. Gallay byes.

N. 1, S 1, &c., indicate the winners of the Qualifying Tournaments at Roehampton for the South and in the North.

DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Holders—J. Van Ryn and W. Allison

J. H. Doeg and G. M. Lott v. V. A. Cazalet and J. C. Masterman; F. R. L. Crawford and G. E. M. de Ste. Croix v. N. Mishu and V. Landu; E. D. Andrews and C. H. Kingsley v. G. P. Hughes and H. G. N. Lee; C. E. Malfroy and R. D. Poland v. K. C. Gandar Dower and R. J. Ritchie; F. Kuhlmann and J. Van der Heide v. S.3; J. S. Harrison and J. L. Chamberlain v. R. Miki and H. Satoh; M. Mohan and H. C. Dhanda v. S.1; H. O. Hopman and A. J. Willard v. J. B. Gilbert and O. G. N. Turnbull.

H. Cochet and J. Brugnon v. J. H. Frowen and D. M. Greig; S.4 v. N.; P. D. B. Spence and G. L. Rogers v. H. W. Artens and F. Matejka; W. H. Powell and I. H. Wheatcroft v. H. Kleinschroth and D. Prenn; B. Bell and G. S. Mangin v. Count L. Salm and V. Burr; H. K. Lester and E. C. Peters v. E. M. Buzzard and E. O. Mather; W. T. Tilden and H. Timmer v. S.2; H. Landry and F. Grandguillot v. L. de Borman and M. Malecek.

W. Allison and J. Van Ryn v. E. C. Metcalf and E. W. Vinall; G. Glasser and Partner v. T. Harada and T. Abe; L. J. Hill and H. Chiesa v. S. F. Hepburn and M. D. Horn; E. Higgs and Y. Ohta v. L. M. Williams and G. R. Williams; G. R. O. Crole-Rees and C. G. Eames v. W. A. R. Collins and R. F. Scovell; F. J. Perry and F. H. D. Wilde v. H. W. Austin and J. S. Olliff; J. M. Hillyard and B. de Kehrling v. E. du Plaix and R. Rodel; B. D. Helmore and N. H. Latchford v. A. Brown and L. R. C. Michell.

J. C. Gregory and I. G. Collins v. D. H. Williams and G. L. Tuckett; J. J. Lezard and D. R. Rutnam v. J. Kozeluh and R. Menzel; A. H. Fyzee and Dr. A. A. Fyzee v. N. Sharpe and J. D. P. Wheatley; L. A. Godfree and G. R. Sherwell v. W. A. H. Duff and D. H. Hasell; J. Charanjiva and H. L. Soni v. E. R. Avory and C. S. Higgins; M. S. Ellmer and M. Ferrier v. J. Borotra and C. Boussus; P. F. Glover and H. S. Lewis Barclay v. J. Crawford and E. F. Moon; H. L. de Morpurgo and P. Gaslini v. E. H. McCauliffe and S. W. Harris.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Holders—Mrs. Holcroft-Watson and Mrs. L. R. C. Michell.

Mrs. L. A. Godfree and Mrs. Holcroft-Watson, Miss M. R. Couquerque and Miss M. Canters, Miss B. Feltham and Miss M. Heeley, Mrs. H. S. Uber and Miss K. Lewis, Mrs. R. E. Haylock and Miss M. E. Dix, Mrs. A. H. Mellows and Miss O. L. Webb, Miss P. E. Mudford and Miss G. R. Sterry, Mrs. H. W. Standring and Miss M. K. Phayre, byes.

Miss E. Cross and Miss S. Palfrey v. N.; Mrs. A. V. Bridge and Mrs. C. G. McIlquham v. Miss V. Marshall and Miss E. H. Smith; Mrs. C. M. B. Marriott and Miss M. Slaney v. Mrs. M. A. O. Mayne and Miss V. H. Montgomery; Mrs. E. Dam and Miss E. Stockel v. Miss E. M. Dearman and Mrs. H. V. Edwards; Frl. C. Aussem and Miss M. Palfrey v. Mrs. J. S. Colegate and Miss C. Tyrrell; Mrs. J. B. Pittman and Miss J. C. Ridley v. Mlle. J. Gallay and Mlle. V. Gallay; Mrs. F. Whittingstall and Miss B. Nuthall v. Miss D. E. Round and Miss N. Trentham; Frl. H. Krahwinkel and Frl. A. Peitz v. S. 4.

Mrs. Moody and Miss Ryan v. Mrs. V. Burr and Miss G. N. Thompson; S. 1 v. Miss J. Sandison and Mrs. E. C. Simon; Mrs. C. H. Jameson and Miss R. Watson v. Miss P. M. Radcliffe and Miss N. Q. Radcliffe-Platt; Mrs. L. A. McKenna and Mrs. Dudley Cox v. Mrs. L. G. Owen and Mrs. A. D. Stocks; Mrs. W. D. List and Miss N. M. Lyle v. S. 2; Mrs. T. Wolf and Mrs. Satterthwaite v. Mrs. E. Robertson and Miss K. Le Messurier; Miss M. A. Thomas and Mlle. S. Payot v. Miss E. F. Rose and Miss S. K. Johnson; Mrs. W. T. Tucker and Miss C. Hardie v. Mrs. J. E. Hill and Mrs. Lycett.

Miss E. H. Harvey and Miss J. Fry; Mme. Mathieu and Mlle. Barbier; Miss E. R. Clarke and Miss D. Gordon; Mrs. P. Bouverie and Miss J. Ingram; Mlle. J. Sigart and Mme. Henrotin; S. 3; Mrs. Beamish and Mrs. C. O. Tuckey; Mrs. F. M. Strawson and Miss E. Hemmant, byes.

MIXED DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Holders: F. T. Hunter and Mrs. Wills-Moody

J. Crawford and Miss Ryan; O. G. N. Turnbull and Mrs. J. E. Hill; Y. Ohta and Miss M. E. Dix; J. S. Olliff and Mrs. Holcroft-Watson; W. A. R. Collins and Miss G. R. Sterry; G. S. Mangin and Miss S. Palfrey; J. Grandguillot and Mlle. S. Barbier; E. M. Buzzard and Miss N. M. Lyle; C. E. Malfroy and Mrs. H. V. Edwards; T. Abe and Mrs. C. O. Tuckey; C. G. Eames and Miss E. H. Harvey; H. Landry and Mlle. J. Gallay; W. Allison and Miss E. Cross; G. R. Sherwell and Miss V. H. Montgomery; S. 3; A. N. W. Dudley and Miss E. Stockel; H. Cochet and Mrs. F. Whittingstall; N. H. Latchford and Mrs. W. D. List; T. Harada and Mme. Matthieu; H. Timmer and Miss M. Canters; B. de Kehrling and Mrs. T. Wolf; I. G. Collins and Miss J. Fry; H. G. N. Lee and Mrs. L. G. Owen; F. Kuhlmann and Frl. A. Peitz; B. Bell and Miss M. Greef; A. J. Willard and Mlle. S. Payot; H. O. Hopman and Mlle. J. Sigart; S. 4; P. F. Glover and Miss J. Sandison; R. Miki and Miss M. A. Thomas, byes.

E. F. Moon and Mrs. E. Robertson v. S. 1; H. S. Lewis Barclay and Miss K. Le Messurier v. J. P. D. Wheatley and Mrs. Lycett.

W. T. Tilden and Fräulein C. Aussem v. F. J. Perry and Miss M. Heeley; J. Van der Heider and Miss M. R. Couquerque; N. Sharpe and Miss E. Hemmant; E. D. Andrews and Mrs. Beamish; H. Satoh and Miss M. Slaney; E. O. Mather and Mrs. R. E. Haylock; J. Brugnon and Mme. Henrotin; H. Chiesa and Miss E. M. Dearman; R. Rouel and Mlle. V. Gallay; D. M. Greig and Mrs. C. G. McIlquham; G. R. O. Crole-Rees and Miss P. E. Mudford; L. A. Godfree and Mrs. Godfree; N.; J. B. Gilbert and Mrs. A. D. Stocks; G. P. Hughes and Miss D. E. Round; H. B. Purcell and Mrs. A. V. Bridge; J. Borotra and Señorita E. de Alvarez; J. H. Frowen and Miss E. R. Clarke; S. 2; S. W. Harris and Miss J. C. Ridley; L. de Borman and Mme. Charpenel; W. H. Powell and Miss N. Trentham; A. Lacroix and Miss S. Noel; E. C. Peters and Mrs. J. B. Pittman; N. Mishu and Mrs. J. S. Colegate; D. Prenn and Fräulein Krahwinkel; V. Landau and Miss S. K. Johnson; J. H. Doeg and Miss M. Palfrey; P. D. B. Spence and Miss B. Nuthall; G. M. Lott and Miss H. Jacobs; J. M. Hillyard and Mrs. E. Dam; W. A. Ingram and Mrs. P. Bouverie, byes.

SOUTHERN QUALIFYING COMPETITION

Mrs. E. S. Law, Mrs. I. D. Brumwell, Miss D. V. Eastley, Miss G. Vaughton, Mrs. H. G. Broadbridge, Mrs. M. Stork, Mrs. P. M. Ryland, and Miss L. Johnstone reached the last eight in the Southern Qualifying Competition at Roehampton yesterday, and will, therefore, take part in the Women's Singles in the Championships at Wimbledon. The results in the third round were:—

Mrs. E. S. Law beat Mrs. E. G. Seel (6—4, 6—4); Mrs. I. D. Brumwell beat Mrs. C. M. B. Marriott (8—6, 3—6, 7—5); Miss D. V. Eastley beat Miss N. Hunt (6—1, 6—0); Miss G. Vaughton beat Miss D. Busby (6—4, 6—0); Mrs. H. G. Broadbridge beat Miss M. Folingsby (8—6, 8—6); Mrs. M. Stork beat Miss B. Boss (8—6, 6—3); Mrs. P. M. Ryland beat Miss N. C. Edes (6—4, 3—6, 4—1, retired); Miss L. Johnstone beat Miss J. R. Stevens (6—2, 6—2).

SINGLES.—Second Round (concluded).—A. L. Della Porta beat R. E. Burton (3—6, 8—6, 13—11, 3—6, 6—1). Third Round.—B. D. Helmore beat W. S. Henderson (6—4, 3—6, 6—2, 6—1); Della Porta beat T. P. Chong (6—2, 6—3, 6—4); G. H. Perkins beat G. K. Brewer (6—3, 7—5, 6—3); E. C. Metcalf beat the Hon. C. N. O. Ritchie (6—1, 4—6, 6—3, 6—2); J. R. Reddall beat E. L. Percival (6—4, 6—4, 3—6, 6—2); E. Flury beat N. E. Dicks (6—4, 6—3, 6—4).

DOUBLES.—First Round.—H. F. David and C. K. Horne beat G. G. Clarke and J. G. Clarke (2—6, 6—4, 6—1, 6—2); C. H. Watson and G. A. Barber beat Lord Thirlestane and O. R. Guard (6—0, 7—5, 6—4); L. E. Eeman and S. H. Young w.o., A. S. Horsley and B. R. Lawrence scratched.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES.—Second Round.—Miss E. Z. Stokes and Miss S. Stokes beat Mrs. I. D. Bromwell and Miss G. E. Tomblin (6—3, 6—0); Miss M. G. A. Morton and Miss D. Sloane Stanley beat Mrs. H. G. Broadbridge and Miss I. A. Maltby (6—2, 0—1, retired).

MIXED DOUBLES.—First Round.—D. H. Williams and Miss D. Busby beat D. H. Hasell and Miss E. C. Mogg (6—4, 7—5); R. K. Tinkler and Miss O. L. Webb beat G. A. Barber and Miss N. Hunt (4—6, 6—4, 6—4); A. W. Vinall and Miss B. Feltham beat R. M. Turnbull and Miss H. M. Barr (6—2, 4—6, 7—5); L. J. Hill and Miss M. K. Phayre beat J. B. Fulton and Miss M. Y. Pearce (3—3, retired); K. C. Gandar Dower and Mrs. Dudley Cox beat M. E. Angel and Miss Y. J. Allnatt (6—0, 6—2); F. H. D. Wilde and Miss J. Ingram beat C. A. Magrane and Miss D. M. Furnivall (6—4, 6—0); W. L. Goldie and Miss J. Morfey beat J. H. Shales and Miss B. Yorke (6—1, 9—7); Lord Charles Hope and Miss H. Bourne beat V. A. Cazalet and Miss T. Cazalet (6—4, 4—6, 6—0); G. H. Perkins and Mrs. W. Tucker beat E. C. Penny and Miss V. Marshall (6—3, 1—6, 6—2); M. S. Ellmer and Miss G. N. Thompson w.o., B. W. Finnigan and Miss D. Finnigan scratched; G. O. Jameson and Miss G. J. Gilder beat H. F. David and Mrs. H. W. Standring (6—3, 3—6, 11—9); W. R. Latham and Miss J. Cunningham beat Madan Mohan and Miss J. Marshall (9—7, 6—3). Second Round.—M. W. Whitmore and Miss E. Z. Stokes beat A. D. P. Brazier and Miss P. G. Brazier (6—1, 5—7, 6—2); L. G. Owen and Mrs. E. C. Simon w.o., Ellmer and Miss Thompson scratched.

SCOTTISH TEAM

The team to represent Scotland v. England in the international match at Peebles on July 14 and 15 is:—

I. G. Collins, W. A. R. Collins, A. W. Hill, J. T. Hill, Miss W. A. Mason, and Miss H. M. Barr.

LONDON CHAMPIONSHIPS

Heavy rain interfered with play in the London Championships at Queen's Club, West Kensington, yesterday, and as the grass courts were unfit for play several matches were played in the covered courts. In one of these N. H. Latchford was too vigorous for M. J. G. Ritchie, and won by 6—3, 6—2. J. Doeg, from the United States, scratched on Tuesday, but was reinstated yesterday, and beat the Queen's Club player, M. Temple, after a close match by 8—6, 6—4 in the second round. H. Satoh, the Japanese player, beat B. Hillyard by 14—12, 6—3. W. T. Tilden scratched to A. A. Fyzee, against whom he is drawn in the Championship at Wimbledon. The feature of the Women's Singles was the retirement of Fräulein C. Aussem, the German player, in her third-round match against Miss O. L. Webb. Miss Webb won the first set by 6—4, after several adjournments in the rain. Fräulein Aussem led 1—0 in the second set, when rain again interrupted play, and Fräulein Aussem retired. Others to reach the fourth round were the Belgian player, Mlle. J. Sigart, who gained an easy victory by 6—0, 6—2 over Miss P. Peech.

The results were:—

SINGLES (London Championship).—Second Round.—E. H. McCauliffe beat L. de Borman (6—1, 3—6, 6—1); H. Satoh beat B. Hillyard (14—12, 6—3); W. A. R. Collins beat Major R. G. Stone (6—1, 5—7, 6—1); J. H. Doeg beat M. Temple (8—6, 6—4). Third Round.—W. Allison walked over, H. F. David scratched; Dr. A. A. Fyzee walked over, W. T. Tilden scratched; N. H. Latchford beat M. J. G. Ritchie (6—3, 6—2).

WOMEN'S SINGLES (London Championship).—Second Round.—Miss A. McOstrich beat Miss J. M. Hill (7—5, 6—3). Third Round.—Mlle. J. Sigart beat Miss P. Peech (6—0, 6—2); Mrs. A. D. Stocks beat Miss M. A. Thomas (6—4, 6—2); Miss O. L. Webb beat Frl. C. Aussem (6—4, 0—1, retired); Miss K. Grocott beat Miss M. Davy (6—2, 6—2).

DOUBLES.—Second Round.—W. Allison and J. Van Ryn beat Colonel C. Russell Brown and Captain G. S. Hatton (6—2, 6—1); B. Bell and G. S. Mangin beat Colonel Brand and F. H. Grisewood (6—1, 7—5); Dr. A. H. Fyzee and H. L. Soni beat D. J. Wardley and C. H. Campbell (6—4, 6—3, 6—4).

WOMEN'S DOUBLES.—First Round.—Miss P. M. Radcliffe and Miss N. Q. Radcliffe-Platt beat Miss L. Brown and Mrs. H. B. Silver (9—7, 6—1); Mrs. R. Landale and Mrs. Furness beat Miss E. M. Green and Mrs. D. M. Young (6—2, 6—2); Mrs. Mackenzie and Miss E. Tighe beat Mrs. Backhouse and Miss S. Noel (7—5, 6—3); Mrs. W. A. R. Collins and Mrs. Corbett beat Lady D. Pleydell-Bouverie and Miss E. Mogg (11—9, 6—4). Second Round.—Miss J. White and Miss K. Beardsley beat Miss M. M. Johnson and Miss B. Shields (6—4, 6—3); Miss D. E. Round and Miss N. Trentham beat Mrs. C. Bendix and Miss F. Finlason (6—2, 6—2); Mrs. H. Edgington and Miss C. Hardie beat Miss R. B. James and Mrs. Osborne (6—1, 6—4); Mrs. A. Kenny and Mrs. P. Fox beat Lady C. Willoughby and Miss D. Hornby (6—4, 6—4); Mlle. J. Sigart and Mme. Henrotin beat Mrs. R. Ramberg and Mrs. A. Garell (6—1, 6—0); Mrs. F. Whittingstall and Miss B. Nuthall beat Miss G. E. Tomblin and Miss K. le Mesurier (6—4, 6—2); Miss V. Cobb and Miss J. Ingram beat Miss J. Warren and Miss D. Miles (6—4, 6—4).

L.T.A. COUNCIL

At the June council meeting of the Lawn Tennis Association it was announced that a team of four men will take part in the American Doubles Championship at Boston, August 25 to 30, and the American Singles Championship at Forest Hills, September 6 and 8 to 13. The team will leave England about the end of July, and arrive back about September 24. A team of three men and two women will be sent on a visit to Argentina. The team will leave England in the Asturias on September 26, play a series of matches and compete in the Argentine Championships, November 9 to 16, and arrive home early in December.

The L.T.A. Colours and British Badge were awarded to H. G. N. Lee, N. Sharpe, and Miss P. E. Mudford.

Entries for the Junior Championships of Great Britain, September 8 to 13, will close on Monday, August 18. In addition to the five championship events, two Plate Singles events will be held for competitors who lose their first match in either the first or second rounds.

In the Inter-County Week, July 21 to 26, Group 7, women, consisting of Buckinghamshire, North Wales, and Herefordshire, will be played at Ross-on-Wye.

Counties were grouped as follows for the preliminary stage of the County Championships on hard courts, 1930-1:—

Group 1, Men.—Durham, Lincolnshire, Yorkshire. Group 1, Women.—Cumberland, Durham, Lincolnshire, Yorkshire. Group 2, Men and Women.—Lancashire, Shropshire, Staffordshire. Group 3, Men and Women.—Cheshire, Warwickshire, Worcestershire. Group 4, Men and Women.—Derbyshire, Leicestershire, Northamptonshire, Nottinghamshire. Group 5, Men and Women.—Essex, Hertfordshire, Norfolk, Suffolk. Group 6, Men.—Buckinghamshire, Dorset, Hampshire, Middlesex. Group 6, Women.—Buckinghamshire, Hampshire, Middlesex, Oxfordshire. Group 7, Men and Women.—Kent, Surrey, Sussex. Group 8, Men and Women.—Devon, Gloucestershire, Somerset, Wiltshire.

BRITISH CAR'S SUCCESS

Vienna, June 18.—Out of 45 starters in the Austrian Alpine three days' trial, the only British entry, an Invicta, was placed first with full marks. The car was driven by Mr. D. Healey, who was one of the prizewinners at this year's Monte Carlo Rally, also with a British car.—*Reuter.*

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CRICKET

AUSTRALIANS AT THE OVAL

A DISMAL DAY

The Australians after the wonderful match at Trent Bridge had a dismal day for their return match against Surrey at the Oval yesterday, but they did well enough in the two hours and three-quarters during which play was possible to take five Surrey wickets for only 140 runs. The surprise, in fact, was that after the torrential rain which had fallen on Tuesday any play was possible at all, but the Kennington district on this occasion was favoured, and a start was able to be made at 12 o'clock.

It was unfortunate that such a good match should have followed the first Test Match, for it could be little more than an anti-climax, and the very players themselves seemed to feel that nothing very much mattered. W. M. Woodfull rested W. H. Ponsford, W. A. Oldfield, P. M. Hornibrook, and V. Y. Richardson, E. L. à Beckett coming into the team again for the first time since he had played at Aigburth on May 16. Surrey, having won the toss, chose to bat on a pitch which if a little uneven in pace was good enough for the purpose.

T. Wall and àBeckett started the bowling to Hobbs and Sandham, who played leisurely enough. Hobbs not only as a batsman but when fielding on the last day at Trent Bridge had given every ounce of life in his body, and he must yesterday have been tired. After half an hour's play on came the indispensable Grimmett, and with the total at 31 he had Hobbs stumped off a googly to which the great man played inside. Sandham batted in his best form, but before a run had been added Barling was magnificently caught on the leg-side by the wicket-keeper. After he had been in for an hour and a quarter Sandham placed a ball into the hands of short-leg, but Wilson stayed in with Shepherd until the luncheon interval, when the score had been taken to 71, Shepherd's score then being 21.

After the interval Hurwood tried the experiment of bowling leg-breaks round the wicket—this for the first time on the tour—and he should have had Shepherd caught at short slip. The 100 went up after the innings had lasted two hours, with Wilson playing very deliberately, but at 117 Wilson suddenly had a wild hit at a ball on the leg stump and was bowled. Shepherd had played the same stroke twice to Hurwood, but had watched the ball and had consequently scored a 4 each time. At this time the light had become bad, there were constant rumbles of thunder, and at half-past 3, after P. G. H. Fender and Gregory had added 23 more runs, the rain came down so hard that it was obvious that cricket was finished for the day.

Score:—

SURREY.—First Innings

Hobbs, st. Walker, b. Grimmett	19
Sandham, c. Fairfax, b. Hurwood	29
Barling, c. Walker, b. Grimmett	0
Shepherd, c. McCabe, b. à Beckett	56
Wilson, b. Hurwood	9
Gregory, not out	11
P. G. H. Fender, not out	11
Leg-byes, 4; n.b., 1	5
Total (5 wkts.)	140

Peach, M. J. C. Allom, Brooks, and Baldwin to go in.

AUSTRALIANS.—W. M. Woodfull, A. Fairfax, D. G. Bradman, A. F. Kippax, S. McCabe, A. Jackson, E. L. à Beckett, C. W. Walker, A. Hurwood, C. V. Grimmett, and T. Wall.

Umpires.—Chester and Phillips.

SOMERSET'S GOOD RECOVERY

FINE INNINGS BY J. C. WHITE

Somerset made an excellent recovery against Nottinghamshire at Taunton yesterday, for, after losing five batsmen with only 110 runs on the board, they ended by scoring 300. At the close of play Gunn and Whysall were not out with the score at 31 for no wicket. The hero of the Somerset innings was J. C. White, who scored 91.

With four runs on the board, Young put up a catch to short leg, and although Ingle and Northway added 60 for the second wicket, the improvement was not maintained. F. Lee was soon out, but White stayed with Ingle until luncheon, when the total was 84 for three wickets. Ingle reached his 50 in two hours 10 minutes, and the hundred appeared 10 minutes later. He was eventually caught at mid-on from a full pitch, which he mistimed. He and White put on 30 for the fourth wicket in 50 minutes. J. Lee and Case each failed, but White found another useful partner in Gaskell. Thanks to three overthrows, White obtained his 50 in 95 minutes, after which he began to hit, and runs were scored at the rate of one a minute, so that the second hundred took only an hour and 40 minutes. At tea the Somerset total had reached 205 for six wickets, but the interval proved fatal to Gaskell, and he was bowled without any addition to the score, having four 4's to his credit.

Wellard gave White excellent help, and in 50 minutes the pair put on 62 before White's capital innings came to an end. Wellard gave a fine display of free hitting in getting 51 in less than an hour. He obtained two 6's, one pitching in the River Tone, and five 4's.

Score:—

SOMERSET.—First Innings

Young, c. Carr, b. Voce	4
R. P. Northway, b. Bland	22
R. A. Ingle, c. Walker, b. Staples (A.)	54
Lee (F. S.), c. Staples (S. J.), b. Staples (A.)	5
J. C. White, c. Whysall, b. Staples (A.)	91
C. C. Case, b. Voce	0
Lee (J. W.), c. Carr, b. Voce	11
J. M. Gaskell, b. Barratt	29
Wellard, b. Staples (A.)	51
Hunt, c. Lilley, b. Staples (A.)	17
A. G. G. Cunningham, not out	2
Bye, 1; l.-b., 10; n.-b., 3	14
Total	300

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE.—First Innings

Gunn (G.), not out	16
Whysall, not out	15
Total (no wkt.)	31

Walker, Lilley, A. W. Carr, Payton, Barratt, Staples (S. J.), Staples (A.), R. D. F. Bland, and Voce to go in.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

SOMERSET.—First Innings

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Barratt	25	9	43	1	Staples (A.)	29	4	78	5
Voce	24	8	71	3	Bland	11	2	32	1
Staples (S. J.)	25	5	62	0					

Umpires.—Toone and Nash

LITTLE PLAY AT LEICESTER

Although Leicestershire were weakened by the absence of Geary, who was unable to play owing to a strained shoulder, their bowlers at Leicester yesterday were treated with such respect that Worcestershire lost six wickets for 68 runs before luncheon. Directly after the interval one of the heaviest thunderstorms ever known in Leicester broke over the ground, flooding the pitch and outfield, and at 4 o'clock play was abandoned for the day.

Score:—

WORCESTERSHIRE.—First Innings

Wright, b. Coleman	6
Fox (J.), c. Sidwell, b. Coleman	22
Nichol, c. Sidwell, b. Coleman	0
Gibbons, b. Armstrong	3
Fox (V.), c. Berry, b. Hazlerigg	11
B. W. Quaife, b. Coleman	5
Santall, not out	5
Root, not out	13
Leg-byes	3
Total (6 wkts.)	68

Brooke, Jackson, and Styler to go in.

LEICESTERSHIRE.—J. A. de Lisle, A. G. Hazlerigg, Shipman, Berry, Riley, Armstrong, Bradshaw, Astill, Coleman, Sidwell, and Snary.

Umpires.—Walden and Hardstaff

THE SECOND TEST MATCH

The M.C.C. announce that all reserved seats for the Saturday and Monday of the second Test Match, which will be begun on Friday, June 27, have been sold. There are a few seats left in the mound stand at 8s. each for Friday and Tuesday, and intending applicants should write immediately, enclosing remittance, to the Secretary, Lord's Cricket Ground, St. John's Wood, London, N.W.8.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES

Lord's.—Middlesex v. Gloucestershire.
Oval.—Surrey v. Australians (continued).
Horsham.—Sussex v. Derbyshire (continued).
Tonbridge.—Kent v. Warwickshire (continued).
Taunton.—Somerset v. Nottinghamshire (continued).
Northampton.—Northamptonshire v. Yorkshire (continued).
Leicester.—Leicestershire v. Worcestershire (continued).
Colwyn Bay.—Wales v. Minor Counties (continued).

THE HORSHAM WEEK

AN EVEN MATCH

The second match of the Horsham Week, between Sussex and Derbyshire, was begun yesterday, and Sussex, after getting rid of their opponents for 203 runs, scored 112 for the loss of four wickets.

Horsham is one of the most beautiful grounds in the country, and yesterday the sun shone all day out of a sky that held just enough cloud to carry rumours of thunderstorms elsewhere. In winning the toss for Derbyshire G. R. Jackson did his side a considerable service, and Storer and Smith put on 70 runs for the first wicket. Tate bowled four overs in his best style, but runs were always coming at the rate of about one a minute. Langridge, however, by taking four wickets for 16 runs before luncheon, worked a complete revolution in the game. The first wicket fell at 71, when Smith was caught at mid-on off Bowley, and then Langridge came properly into his own. At 75 and 86 Storer and Bowden respectively were bowled. At 88 Townsend jumped in to hit him with a cross bat and was beaten by the slow flight of the ball and stumped. Two runs later Worthington reached forward to a ball that did just enough through the air and off the pitch to beat a straight bat, and five Derbyshire wickets were down for 90 runs at luncheon.

Jackson and Alderman had no alternative afterwards but to play strictly on the defensive. Langridge continued to bowl as though the wicket were all in his favour, and Tate, who was a very tired man, managed to make the ball come off at that pace which forces the involuntary and not the voluntary stroke. Jackson, however, drove Langridge to the boundary to bring up the hundred, and, although, when he had made 21, he was beaten all the way down the pitch by Langridge, he soon afterwards hit an over-pitched ball from the same bowler resolutely to square-leg for 4. At 130, however, he was bowled trying to get another 4 to square-leg off a ball from Bowley that kept low. In the same over Hutchinson sent up a catch which came out of the sun to Cook, and seven wickets were down for 130. Alderman, who very properly had spent all his time watching the ball, soon afterwards gave way to a sudden wild impulse to hit a 6, and was comprehensively bowled by J. Parks.

The last two Derbyshire wickets put on 63 runs. Slater, in hitting two 4's in one over off Bowley, showed how the short ball could be waited for until the spin was dead and then hooked hard enough to give the outfield no chance. After Slater had left Elliott took charge of the game. He hit two boundaries in one over off Langridge, but, after he had hooked a short ball of Bowley's for 4, he jumped into the next, and gave Hammond, running in from the long field, a difficult catch.

Bowley and J. Parks went in after tea, and Bowley began as though he intended to break his run of low scores with a century, but at 37 he was out hitting a long-hop from Mitchell exactly as he meant to, and being brilliantly caught for his pains. Two more wickets fell quickly, but K. S. Duleepsinhji, who reached his thousand runs for the season, and Langridge played some excellent cricket in a fourth-wicket stand that brought the total from 41 to 93, when K. S. Duleepsinhji was caught at the wicket off Townsend.

Score:—

DERBYSHIRE.—First Innings.

Storer, b. Langridge	30
Smith, c. Langridge, b. Bowley	35
Bowden, b. Langridge	6
G. R. Jackson, b. Bowley	35
Townsend, st. Cornford, b. Langridge	2
Worthington, b. Langridge	1
Alderman, b. Parks (J.)	16
Hutchinson, c. Cook, b. Bowley	0
Slater, b. Bowley	18
Elliott, c. Hammond, b. Bowley	45
Mitchell, not out	2
Byes, 10; l.-b., 3	13
Total	203

SUSSEX.—First Innings

Bowley, c. Bowden, b. Mitchell	20
Parks (J.), c. Elliott, b. Townsend	15
K. S. Duleepsinhji, c. Elliott, b. Townsend	39
Cook, b. Townsend	0
Langridge (J.), not out	21
Cornford, not out	12
Leg-byes, 3; n.-b., 2	5
Total (4 wkts.)	112

A. H. H. Gilligan, Parks (H.), Tate, Wensley, and Hammond to go in.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

DERBYSHIRE.—First Innings

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Tate	8	2	8	0	Parks (J.)	10	3	21	1
Wensley	12	0	11	0	Langridge	27	3	67	4
Hammond	9	3	20	0	Bowley	20.3	2	63	5

Umpires.—Field and Day

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE IN TROUBLE

A. T. Barber won the toss at Northampton yesterday and decided to put Northamptonshire in to bat. This policy was abundantly justified, for by luncheon time Northamptonshire had lost six wickets for 67 runs. Rain fell heavily directly after the interval, and there was a long delay before the game could be resumed. Then it was only for a short time. Northamptonshire carried their score to 77 by a quarter to 4, and no further play was possible.

Score:—

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE.—First Innings.

Woolley, b. Bowes	36
Bakewell, hit wkt., b. Dennis	4
Timms (J. E.), b. Bowes	11
Liddell, c. A. T. Barber, b. Bowes	4
V. W. C. Jupp, c. Greenwood, b. Bowes	0
Bellamy, c. Bowes, b. Dennis	3
Cox, not out	4
Wright, not out	7
Byes, 3; l.-b., 2; n.-b., 3	8
Total (6 wkts.)	77

Thomas, Partridge, and Clark to go in.

YORKSHIRE.—A. T. Barber, F. E. Greenwood, Rhodes, Holmes, Robinson, Macaulay, Dennis, Mitchell, Wood, Bowes, and Barber (W.).

Umpires.—Morton and Oates

WALES v. MINOR COUNTIES

Consistent batting by Wales enabled them to put together the excellent total of 278 against the Minor Counties at Colwyn Bay yesterday. At the close of play the Minor Counties had scored 186 for the loss of two wickets, G. S. Butler being not out 93.

Arnott and Riches, after two wickets had fallen quickly, played bright cricket, Riches hitting a 6 and 11 4's in scoring 73 out of 124. Later, Arnott batted very carefully, occupying three hours over his 54, which included seven 4's, and D. Davies, besides driving Dynes over the pavilion for 6, sent the ball four times to the boundary in a brief stay. More brisk hitting came from Rowland, who, scoring freely all round the wicket, hit a 6 and 10 4's in his 51. Stroud, who dismissed half the side for 60, took all his wickets during his second spell of 11 overs at a cost of 43 runs.

In 50 minutes before tea, Homer and Butler, opening the Minor Counties innings, obtained 49 runs. Runs came freely afterwards, Butler getting his 50 in 80 minutes, and after Homer left he had useful help from Dynes and Squires.

Score:—

WALES.—First Innings

Bates, c. Walters, b. Hartley	12
Bell, b. Hartley	12
T. Arnott, st. Inge, b. Stroud	54
N. V. H. Riches, c. Stroud, b. Dynes	73
Davies (D.), b. Dynes	25
C. A. Rowland not out	51
C. P. Woods, c. Cook, b. Dynes	5
Barnes, c. Hartley, b. Stroud	18
Willcox, c. and b. Stroud	6
Mercer, b. Stroud	9
Ryan, l.-b.-w., b. Stroud	1
Byes, 10; l.-b., 2	12
Total	278

MINOR COUNTIES.—First Innings

H. W. Homer, c. Willcox, b. Bates	27
G. S. Butler not out	93
E. D. Dynes, b. Ryan	27
Squires not out	21
Byes, 9; l.-b., 2; n.-b., 7	18
Total (2 wkts.)	186

W. T. Cook, E. G. Stroud, G. S. Watson, T. K. Dobson, F. Hartley, W. W. Inge, and Walters (C.) to go in.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

WALES.—First Innings

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Hartley	19	2	72	2	Dobson	17	3	52	0
Stroud	19.1	5	60	5	Dynes	19	7	53	3
Walters	6	2	16	0	Butler	4	0	13	0

Umpires.—Bestwick and Parry

SCHOOL RESULTS IN BRIEF

Winchester, 256 for 6 dec. (R. de W. K. Winlaw 98, R. G. Davies-Scourfield 72); I Zingari, 171 for 6 (R. S. G. Scott 49, not out, H. C. Pattisson 47, A. R. Legard 3 for 9).

Bradfield, 192 (J. G. Mason 42, F. D. Wade 40, F. E. Tarry 38); Oriel College, 156 (N. M. Ford 52, A. L. Young 6 for 34).

Eastbourne, 266 (B. W. Malcolm 63, E. Davis 54); King's, Canterbury, 145 (C. G. A. Paris 66, B. W. Malcolm 4 for 34, P. J. Duncanson 3 for 17).

Hurstpierpoint, 304 for 6 dec. (D. M. Wood 118, P. P. Gladwin 78); Sussex Clergy, 114 (R. G. Hill 5 for 41, G. G. White 4 for 29).

Christ Church, Oxford, 116 (M. W. Murray 33, C. E. Salamon 3 for 21); Stowe, 122 for 4 (N. H. Bennett 56, H. V. Kemp 32).

St. Edward's School, 132 for eight (K. J. Veitch 42). Match abandoned in heavy thunderstorm.

SCHOOL MATCHES FOR TO-DAY

Bradfield v. O. U. Authentics, Brighton v. M.C.C., Bromsgrove v. The Town, Downside v. Yorkshire Gentlemen, Durham v. Durham Pilgrims, Framlingham v. Colchester and E. Essex, Harrow v. Quidnuncs, Hurstpierpoint v. Jesus, Cambridge, Oratory v. Doual, Ipswich v. S. Norfolk, Imperial Service College v. Suffolk Regiment, Leys v. Camden C.C., Merchant Taylors' v. M.C.C., Monkton Combe v. Kingswood, Oakham v. Llanrwst, Repton v. Free Foresters, St. Albans v. St. Albans C.C., St. Bees v. Colonel G. J. P. Senhouse's XI., Sussex C. and G. v. Lancing, Uppingham v. O. U.'s (first day), Weymouth v. Mr. R. H. Conway's XI., Winchester v. Marlborough.

KENT'S ADVANTAGE

FINE BOWLING BY FREEMAN

In the second match of the Tonbridge Week yesterday Kent gained a decided advantage over Warwickshire, whom they dismissed for 149, Freeman bowling splendidly and taking eight wickets for 71 runs. Kent started well, and at the close of play had scored 169 for the loss of three wickets.

There had been a heavy storm during the night, and the Kent captain, on winning the toss, put his opponents in to bat. Warwickshire, who were without the Rev. J. H. Parsons, included G. D. Kemp-Welch, while C. H. Knott displaced T. A. Crawford from the Kent side that beat Derbyshire in the first match of the week. The day's play was rather featureless except for Freeman's great bowling performance. During the partnership between R. E. S. Wyatt and Kilner for the visitors, and again when Hardinge and Ashdown gave Kent such a good start, none of the batsmen gave the impression of being master of the situation. When Warwickshire started batting Freeman, with the help of Ames, quickly got three wickets, and then Wyatt and Kilner gave the best display of the day. Kilner forced the game really well and was particularly clever in playing Peach's off-breaks through the numerous short legs. Kemp-Welch was bowled first ball, and half the side were out for 120 at the luncheon interval. Freeman, again with the help of Ames, quickly obtained the last five wickets after luncheon for 29 runs. The three batsmen who were stumped were literally yards out of their ground in attempting to smother Freeman's leg-breaks. The Kent ground fielding was excellent, and Knott made a beautifully-judged catch in the deep field to dismiss J. Morton.

Hardinge and Ashdown started quietly for Kent and kept very level, being both not out at the tea interval with 40 to their credit. Hardinge completed his 50 with a fine pull stroke to deep mid-wicket, but in attempting a similar stroke he was easily caught at mid-on. Woolley, after having rather an uncomfortable over from Paine, was bowled by the third ball he received from Sanders. Ames looked like staying with Ashdown, but was bowled by a straight ball, for which he was late. Todd and Ashdown were together during the last hour and, though neither of them looked really comfortable, Ashdown made some fine strokes to leg off Croom, who was the only one of the Warwickshire bowlers who was scored off at all freely.

Score:—

WARWICKSHIRE.—First Innings

Smith, b. Freeman	8
Croom, c. Wright, b. Freeman	12
Bates, st. Ames, b. Freeman	5
R. E. S. Wyatt, st. Ames, b. Freeman	41
Kilner, l.-b.-w., b. Peach	53
G. D. Kemp-Welch, b. Peach	0
Santall, st. Ames, b. Freeman	0
J. Morton, c. Knott, b. Freeman	4
Mayer, not out	9
Sanders, c. Deed, b. Freeman	6
Paine, st. Ames, b. Freeman	0
Byes, 2; l.-b., 7; n.-b., 2	11
Total	149

KENT.—First Innings

Hardinge, c. Morton, b. Paine	51
Ashdown, not out	89
Woolley, b. Sanders	0
Ames, b. Sanders	5
Todd, not out	19
Byes, 3; l.-b., 2	5
Total (3 wkts.)	169

C. H. Knott, G. B. Legge, J. A. Deed, Wright, Freeman, and Peach to go in.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

WARWICKSHIRE.—First Innings

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Ashdown	5	3	6	0	Woolley	4	1	14	0
Freeman	29.4	7	71	8	Peach	11	1	37	2
Hardinge	10	5	10	0					

Umpires.—Stone and Dolphin

R.A. V. R.A.S.C.

The match between the Royal Artillery and the R.A.S.C. had a very exciting and sporting finish—a game in which over 700 runs were scored on the second day. The Royal Artillery declared leaving the R.A.S.C. three-and-a-quarter hours to get 363 runs, which they succeeded in doing in the last over of the match.

ROYAL ARTILLERY

First Innings		Second Innings	
Captain J. A. Sanger, c. Marrison, b. Hinde	0	l.-b.-w., b. Dynes	50
J. E. Pridham, c. Arden, b. Dynes	37	st. Allen, b. Dynes	8
Captain P. V. Williams, c. Arden, b. Dynes	48	b. Marrison	9
R. K. Page, st. Allen, b. Arden	2	c. Clover, b. Dynes	143
Captain E. A. Tremlett, c. Marrison, b. Hinde	7	l.-b.-w., b. Arden	24
D. W. Persse, c. Hinde, b. Dynes	10	c. Allen, b. Hinde	32
G. G. Fenton, b. Hinde	4	not out	51
A. R. Morres, b. Hinde	10	not out	10
C. O. M. Morris, b. Dynes	0	c. Allen, b. Marrison	13
H. Crowe, st. Allen, b. Hinde	6		
G. S. Brook, not out	0	b. Marrison	15
Byes, &c.	13	Byes, &c.	10
Total	137	Total (8 wkts.)	*365

* Innings declared closed

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS

First Innings		Second Innings	
Major E. H. Fitzherbert, b. Tremlett	2	c. Tremlett, b. Morris	35
E. D. Dynes, b. Tremlett	0	not out	125
Captain T. E. Clarke, l.-b.-w., b. G. G. Fenton	27	c. Sanger, b. Morres	61
F. Marrison, b. Tremlett	4	c. Tremlett, b. Morris	81
Captain A. J. W. Bavin, b. Tremlett	33	c. Tremlett, b. Morris	4
Captain A. N. T. Rowntree, c. Pridham, b. Brook	14	c. Williams, b. Tremlett	9
Captain F. S. Clover, c. Pridham, b. Morris	17	not out	4
Major P. A. Arden, l.-b.-w., b. Tremlett	18	b. Tremlett	27
W. Ware, c. Pridham, b. Tremlett	12	b. Tremlett	3
Captain J. R. Allen, b. Tremlett	6		
Captain H. M. Hinde, not out	4		
Byes, &c.	2	Byes, &c.	16
Total	139	Total (7 wkts.)	365

BOWLING ANALYSIS

ROYAL ARTILLERY.—First Innings

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Hinde	18.3	2	46	5	Dynes	21	1	50	4
Marrison	9	3	17	0	Arden	3	1	11	1

Second Innings

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Hinde	12	2	26	1	Dynes	19	1	119	3
Clarke	17	4	62	0	Arden	4	1	23	1
Marrison	23	1	125	3					

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.—First Innings

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Brook	15	1	49	1	Fenton	3	0	16	1
Tremlett	17	4	62	7	Morris	3.3	1	10	1

Second Innings

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Brook	15	2	57	0	Fenton	2	0	9	0
Tremlett	23	0	93	3	Morres	7	1	35	1
Morris	16.4	1	87	3	Persse	4	0	32	0
Sanger	2	0	15	0	Page	2	0	18	0
Crowe	1	0	3	0					

ROYAL FUSILIERS' WEEK

At Hounslow the Royal Fusiliers beat Eton Ramblers easily. Score:—

ROYAL FUSILIERS

D. W. G. Ray, c. Clay, b. Franks	81
C. W. C. Packe, c. sub., b. Ward	61
B. McCall, c. Baggally, b. Ward	10
Captain Mardall, not out	68
D. L. Standage, not out	33
Extras	14
Total (3 wkts.)	*267

*Innings declared closed.

F. Macey, Fusilier Whiting, Lieutenant-Colonel Howitt, Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick, Major W. A. Trasenster, Lance-Corporal Peterson, and E. F. Coope did not go in.

ETON RAMBLERS

A. P. Barker, c. Frederick, b. Trasenster	7
G. L. Clay, c. Peterson, b. Frederick	0
G. N. Capel Cure, st. Ray, b. Frederick	12
A. M. C. Jenour, b. Whiting	0
M. de S. C. Ward, l.-b.-w., b. Frederick	8
F. J. R. Coleridge, c. Coope, b. Frederick	21
R. H. Bathurst, c. Packe, b. Trasenster	25
B. M. F. Franks, b. Frederick	11
D. ffrench Blake, l.-b.-w., b. Frederick	0
D. McCall, st. Ray, b. Trasenster	1
Davies (sub.), not out	1
M. G. C. Baggally, b. Frederick	1
Extras	6
Total	93

The match played at Hounslow between the Royal Fusiliers Club and the Household Brigade was left drawn.

Score:—

HOUSEHOLD BRIGADE

First Innings		Second Innings	
Major Sir C. F. N. Palmer, c. Ray, b. Frederick	15	b. Trasenster	17
Captain J. O. Hogaith, b. Whiting	0	st. Ray, b. Mardall	29
Captain T. Bevan, c. Standage, b. Whiting	1	not out	12
Sir C. J. Child, c. Peterson, b. Trasenster	4	b. Dunnington-Jefferson	80
Captain T. B. Trappes-Lomax, st. Ray, b. Trasenster	19		
Sergeant J. O. Forbes, c. Ray, b. Trasenster	15		
Captain C. M. B. Llewelyn, b. Frederick	1		
Lance-Corporal Chapman, l.-b.-w., b. Trasenster	42	b. Whiting	15
M. V. Millbank, c. Whiting, b. Trasenster	0		
Captain J. D. Erskine, run out	5		
Guardsman Seddon, not out	0		
Byes, &c.	1	Byes, &c.	16
Total	103	Total (4 wkts.)	169

ROYAL FUSILIERS CLUB.—First Innings

D. W. G. Ray, b. Child	7
C. W. C. Packe, c. Seddon, b. Millbank	22
B. McCall, l.-b.-w., b. Seddon	54
D. L. Standage, b. Erskine	2
Captain Mardall, c. Trappes-Lomax, b. Millbank	59
F. Macey, b. Child	41
Lieutenant-Colonel Dunnington-Jefferson, run out	1
Fusilier Whiting, not out	55
Lance-Corporal Peterson, b. Child	[illegible]
Major W. A. Trasenster, b. Seddon	[illegible]
Byes, &c.	23
Total (9 wkts.)	*308

* Innings declared closed.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. B. Frederick did not go in.

STOWE BEAT RADLEY

WEAK BATTING

Stowe School beat Radley College at Radley yesterday in the most oppressively hot weather by 111 runs.

Stowe had the good fortune to win the toss and have first innings on a perfect batsmen's wicket, while their opponents had to toil in the heat. Stowe were also fortunate in that the rain came down so hard during the morning that any first-class team would have scuttled to shelter half an hour before Radley were compelled to come in. While the rain had no effect upon the wicket, it made the ball wet enough to take a lot of the sting out of the bowling. When Radley went in at 20 minutes to four with a possible three hours' play to score 217, Stowe took their chances and held on tenaciously to the advantage given to them by the earlier Radley batsmen throwing away their wickets. L. G. Levis kept wicket extraordinarily well for Stowe and had the distinction of dismissing six men, three caught and three stumped.

H. V. Kemp and N. H. Benett gave Stowe a good start by scoring 50 together before Kemp was caught in the slips in attempting to drive. Benett and P. P. L. Dillon pushed the advantage home, although the latter would probably have been caught off a hard hit to deep mid-on if G. F. Worsley had sighted the ball properly. As it was, he stopped it full pitch on the chin and was lucky to escape with no more than a deep cut. Benett, meanwhile was scoring easily all round the wicket and making 84 of the best runs. He was fourth out at 137. R. J. Packe then made a very useful 28 in a most stylish manner and, with J. D. Firth, put on 35 runs to send up the 200. J. P. Monks, with his slow spinners, seemed the most promising bowler, but he was unlucky in having two or three catches dropped off his bowling, and once or twice he beat the bat and just missed the stumps.

Radley had half an hour's batting before tea, and practically lost the match by losing three good wickets for 31 runs. P. I. van der Gucht was caught at the wicket with the total at eight, and H. P. Dinwiddy was eventually induced to go yards out of his ground to one of Parke's slow ones, which he missed. Then, off the last ball before tea, W. H. Vestey played a careless stroke and was very properly caught. P. W. Kitching and R. M. E. Williams made a great effort after tea to save the game; indeed, they went for the bowling as if they not only intended to save the match, but win it. Williams was caught on the boundary when they had taken the score from 31 to 60, and then Kitching, bowled by a full pitch, and A. W. Kershaw both left at 67. That, to all intents and purposes, was the end of the game, for, although A. G. Neale kept up his end no one could stay with him. H. V. Kemp took three wickets for 17 runs, and P. J. de Havilland three for 26.

Score:—

STOWE

H. V. Kemp, c. Kershaw, b. Dinwiddy	12
N. H. Benett, c. Vestey, b. Kershaw	84
D. F. N. Rowlatt, c. and b. Monks	1
P. P. L. Dillon, c. Dinwiddy, b. Worsley	33
R. E. Blandford, c. Vestey, b. Monks	11
R. J. Packe, c. Vestey, b. Worsley	28
J. W. Maude, run out	11
J. D. Firth, c. Kershaw, b. Williams	24
C. E. Salamon, c. Dinwiddy, b. Monks	3
L. G. Levis, c. Kershaw, b. Williams	0
P. J. de Havilland, not out	4
Byes, 4; w., 1	5
Total	216

RADLEY

P. I. van der Gucht, c. Levis, b. Salamon	3
H. P. Dinwiddy, st. Levis, b. Packe	19
W. H. Vestey, c. Salamon, b. Maude	5
P. N. Kitching, b. de Havilland	22
R. M. E. Williams, c. Firth, b. Kemp	15
A. G. Neale, not out	13
A. W. Kershaw, st. Levis, b. de Havilland	0
R. M. C. Thomas, st. Levis, b. Maude	5
H. B. V. Bruton, c. Levis, b. de Havilland	14
J. P. Monks, c. Levis, b. Kemp	2
J. F. Worsley, c. de Havilland, b. Kemp	3
Byes, 3; l.b., 1	4
Total	105

DULWICH BEAT BRIGHTON

Dulwich College beat Brighton College at Dulwich by 128 runs. G. C. Sales took six wickets for 47 runs for the winners. Score:—

BRIGHTON COLLEGE

F. C. Jarchow, c. Doulton, b. Staniforth	43
N. F. Rea, c. Staniforth, b. Jeary	17
C. R. Maxwell, c. Jeary, b. Bartlett	27
R. N. Jones, c. Jeary, b. Sales	7
H. P. S. Forster, c. and b. Sales	8
A. Green, c. Dickson, b. Sales	5
D. Green, c. Doulton, b. Sales	25
P. N. C. Minton, l.-b.-w., b. Watt	5
W. N. Cooper, b. Sales	2
G. W. Radford, st. Dickson, b. Sales	0
A. M. B. Lenton, not out	2
Byes, &c.	11
Total	153

DULWICH

D. H. Frankford, b. Jones	56
G. R. M. Reynolds, not out	117
A. J. F. Doulton, run out	0
S. C. Griffith, st. Maxwell, b. A. Green	0
S. B. Sellick, b. Jones	37
H. T. Bartlett, b. Cooper	49
T. G. P. Jeary, not out	11
Byes, &c.	11
Total (5 wkts.)	281

M. A. Staniforth, J. M. Dickson, J. A. P. Watt and G. C. Sales did not go in.

REPTON BEAT SHREWSBURY

Repton beat Shrewsbury at Repton by 100 runs. Score:—

REPTON

J. F. Mendl, c. Barlow, b. Pratt	24
L. D. Macbrayne, b. Barlow	8
J. H. Human, c. Armitstead, b. Pratt	111
C. R. G. Howard, b. Barlow	7
F. W. Chapman, b. Mill	1
A. E. J. Mackintosh, b. Armitstead	16
G. S. Sutcliffe, c. Barlow, b. Pratt	2
K. J. Mendl, not out	40
D. F. Mendl, not out	3
Byes, &c.	21
Total (7 wickets)	233

* Innings declared closed.

J. C. Westray and P. W. Auster did not go in.

SHREWSBURY

J. F. Snow, c. K. Mendl, b. Sutcliffe	2
S. F. Mill, b. Westray	48
A. G. N. Robinson, c. and b. Auster	1
J. C. E. Hughes, c. D. Mendl, b. Sutcliffe	7
M. J. K. Sullivan, c. Westray, b. Sutcliffe	0
D. G. Butterworth, c. J. Human, b. K. Mendl	3
J. R. T. Turner, l.-b.-w., b. Human	20
W. J. M. Llewellyn, c. Chapman, b. Sutcliffe	22
E. A. Barlow, not out	8
L. J. Pratt, c. Howard, b. Human	0
R. C. H. Armitstead, c. Chapman, b. K. Mendl	1
Byes, &c.	12
Total	133

HARROW v. HARLEQUINS

The match between Harrow School and the Harlequins at Harrow on Saturday was drawn. Flannels were awarded to E. J. de Las Casas and J. M. Stow.

Score:—

HARROW SCHOOL

R. D. Stewart Brown, b. Nevinson	16
T. M. Rattigan, b. Nevinson	0
F. E. Covington, run out	73
W. M. Welch, c. Crutchley, b. Greenstock	18
A. R. Tawell, c. Nevinson, b. Stevens	20
J. M. Stow, b. Newman	29
H. A. Torrens, c. Crutchley, b. Nevinson	31
E. J. de Las Casas, not out	62
R. B. Clive, l.-b.-w., b. Newman	26
Byes, &c.	12
Total (8 wkts.)	*287

* Innings declared closed.

J. E. Ohlson and D. E. Yarrow did not go in.

HARLEQUINS

G. T. S. Stevens, c. de Las Casas, b. Ohlson	13
A. M. Crawley, c. Ohlson, b. Clive	14
C. S. Crawley, b. de Las Casas	35
N. M. Ford, b. Ohlson	0
R. L. Holdsworth, st. Yarrow, b. Covington	74
G. C. Newman, c. Clive, b. Covington	25
P. J. Lewis (sub.), not out	31
J. W. Greenstock, c. Rattigan, b. de Las Casas	45
Byes, &c.	16
Total (7 wkts.)	253

J. H. Nevinson, G. E. V. Crutchley, and J. F. M. Lightly (sub.) did not go in.

WORKSOP BEAT OAKHAM

Worksop beat Oakham by 15 runs. For Worksop, Heath took six wickets for six, and, for Oakham, Elphinstone four for 25.

Score:—

OAKHAM

G. Vaulthard, c. Gorman, b. Heath	50
J. Shouler, c. Heath, b. Lund	17
M. Gillmore, c. Wood, b. Gorman	6
R. Vaulthard, c. Gorman, b. Heath	0
C. Elphinstone, b. Heath	37
A. Forster, c. and b. Heath	1
P. Sanderson, b. Gorman	5
H. Lees, b. Heath	10
T. Hill, b. Heath	8
R. Ristone, c. Gorman, b. Lund	10
E. Lace, not out	0
Extras	7
Total	151

WORKSOP

B. Wood, c. Vaulthard, b. Sanderson	0
P. Snow, b. Sanderson	0
R. Burton, c. Elphinstone, b. Lees	45
J. E. Eacott, b. Elphinstone	65
A. Johnson, c. Lace, b. Lees	0
J. Briggs, c. Shouler, b. Sanderson	20
J. Lund, not out	17
R. Head, b. Sanderson	0
W. Gorman, c. Vaulthard, b. Elphinstone	3
E. Robinson, b. Elphinstone	6
W. Heath, c. Sanderson, b. Elphinstone	6
Extras	4
Total	166

LARGER WICKET IN CEYLON

Colombo, June 17.—The Ceylon Cricket Association has decided to recommend to its affiliated clubs the use of the larger wicket.—*Reuter.*

MINOR COUNTIES' COMPETITION

At Nantwich.—Cheshire v. Lancashire Second Eleven.—Lancashire Second Eleven, 195 (Paynter 62), Cheshire, 76 for five wickets (Eyre 32).

YACHTING

ROYAL SOUTHAMPTON CLUB'S REGATTA

The Royal Southampton Yacht Club gave their first regatta of the season for the international and Solent classes off Hythe yesterday. The weather was fine and a light easterly breeze was blowing at the start. Later the wind went round with the sun and increased in strength as it settled in the westward, making it mostly reaching round the courses.

Race for 8-Metre International Class.—Starters:—Finola (Mr. H. Johnson), Unity (Mr. R. W. Preston), Nona (Lord Forster), June (Sir Howard Frank), Sasqua (Mr. Oliver May), Sposa II. (Miss Roney and Sir Ernest Roney), Emily II. (Messrs. E. J. and E. R. Roney), Severn (Mr. R. B. Worth), Suzette II. (Colonel E. T. Peel), and Cutty (Captain W. H. Dowman).

They got away to a very good start with most of the boats trying for the weather end of the line. Emily II. opened out early in the race, and came home the winner.

The finishing times were:—

	H.	M.	S.		H.	M.	S.
Emily II. (winner)	3	15	2	Cutty	3	21	38
Nona (second)	3	17	59	Unity	3	22	42
June (third)	3	21	18	Severne	3	28	12
Sposa II.	3	21	25	Sasqua	3	24	5

Suzette II. and Finola were not timed.

Race for 6-Metre International Class.—Starters:—Felma (Mr. F. A. Richards), Sunshine (Colonel G. P. Pollitt), Zenith (Miss E. L. Lewis), Priscilla II. (Mr. Russell Cooke), Prudence (Mr. Kenneth Preston).

The finishing times were:—

	H.	M.	S.		H.	M.	S.
Priscilla (winner)	3	3	41	Felma (third)	3	8	14
Prudence (second)	3	4	21	Zenith	3	11	44

Sunshine was not timed.

Race for West Solent Restricted Class.—Squirrel (Miss Chetwynd), 1; Huahine (Major Hall), 2; Glade (Mr. G. Beesley), 3.

Solent Handicap by Rating Class.—Mignonette (Gen. Dallas), 1; Josephine (Mr. Dudley Head), 2.

X Class.—Gladys (Mr. Stanley Steele), 1; Ann Ex (Mr. Leslie Wilson), 2; Exile (Mrs. Branford), 3.

BOURNE END WEEK

The third day's racing of the Bourne End week was for prizes presented by the Upper Thames Sailing Club, the Tamesis Club and the Thames United Sailing Club, the programme being on similar lines to the two previous days. The weather conditions were a bit mixed, but the breeze for the most part was very light. One of the races in the morning was sailed in a severe thunderstorm.

The opening race was a match for the "A" class boats. There were five starters at 10.30 a.m. as follows:—

Viva (Mr. F. Sigrist), Kingfisher (Mr. T. L. Turketine), Caprice (Mr. F. S. Spriggs), Atalanta (Mr. S. G. H. Silander) and Carina (Mr. W. R. Preston).

They were set to sail three rounds of the short course in a very light air and the winning boat took nearly an hour and a half to cover about three miles. All finished except Viva, which fouled a buoy. The official times were:—

	Finish H.	M.	S.	Corrected H.	M.	S.
Kingfisher (winner)	11	53	57	11	53	57
Carina (2nd prize)	12	6	41	12	5	51
Atalanta (3rd prize)	12	6	51	12	6	0
Caprice	12	7	0	12	6	9

The following 15 boats started at noon in the match for the International 14-ft. Dinghy Class:—

Flying Fox (Mr. R. C. Freeman), Pixy (Mr. H. E. C. Rayner), Chip (Mr. N. Wetherilt), Vixen (Mr. H. F. Brandl), Merlin (Mr. J. Howden Hume), Falcon (Mr. H. Scott Freeman), Kestrel (Mr. R. Scott Freeman), Siskin (Mr. H. F. Edwards), Vamrosa (Mr. F. E. Graham), Maybe (Mr. S. R. Brown), Togo III. (Mr. G. C. English), Summer Time (Captain H. P. Boyd, R.N.), Echo (Mr. E. N. A. Remington), and Tim (Mr. P. Richardson).

They were stopped at the end of the second round of the short course after sailing through a thunderstorm. Pixy, Chip, Vamrosa, Kestrel and Vixen retired from the race early. The three leading craft finished in fairly close company but the rest of the fleet got well spread out. The official finishing times were:—

	H.	M.	S.		H.	M.	S.
Merlin (winner)	12	52	24	Siskin	12	57	51
Tim (2nd prize)	12	52	52	Falcon	12	57	57
Flying Fox (3rd prize)	12	53	33	Zero	1	0	11
				Maybe	1	0	30
Tozo III. (4th prize)	12	57	36	Summer Time	1	2	19
				Echo	1	7	25

The afternoon race for the "A" Class was for the Wokefield Challenge Cup. The full fleet of five started at 2.43 p.m., all getting away in close company, except Viva, which was on the wrong side of the line when the gun went. They were set to sa[illegible] rounds of the short course. Carina, when well placed got on the mud, which placed her last. Kingfisher worked out quite a good lead and won easily. There was a keen race for second prize between Caprice and Viva, the former being successful by 9sec. The official times for the race were:—

	Finish H.	M.	S.	Corrected H.	M.	S.
Kingfisher (winner)	4	8	26	4	8	26
Viva (3rd prize)	4	15	55	4	15	55
Caprice (2nd prize)	4	16	36	4	15	44
Atalanta	4	18	13	4	17	26
Carina	4	22	38	4	21	46

Cross protests were lodged at the finish by Kingfisher and Atalanta.

There were only 10 starters in the second match for the International 14ft. Dinghy Class, which started at 4.20 p.m. Siskin and Tim were over the line before the gun, and Zero started late. The first named despite her handicap at the start worked into the lead and won easily. All completed the three rounds of the short course set except Zero, which gave up. The official finishing times were:—

	H.	M.	S.		H.	M.	S.
Siskin (winner)	5	33	23	Vixen	5	48	53
Merlin (2nd prize)	5	39	56	Pixy	5	48	54
Tim (3rd prize)	5	40	37	Summer Time	5	49	41
Falcon (4th prize)	5	41	55	Maybe	5	53	50
Flying Fox	5	43	56				

The starters in the last race of the day—a match for the Gigs Class—were Mr. S. R. Brown's Paddy, Major Willoughby's Myosotis, and the three Oxford University Sailing Club's 12-footers Elf, Goblin, and Pixie, sailed by Messrs. H. Trefusis, H. Andreae, and P. Brett respectively. Pixie gave up, and the others were officially timed as follows:—

	Finish H.	M.	S.	Corrected H.	M.	S.
Myosotis (2nd prize)	5	56	12	5	56	12
Goblin (winner)	6	3	46	5	53	26
Paddy (3rd prize)	6	1	25	5	56	54
Elf	6	19	10	6	8	50

AMERICA'S CUP DEFENDERS

New York, June 17.—There was another race to-day between the aspirants for the honour of defending the America's Cup. Weetamoe won her third victory over the three others. Enterprise was second, and Yankee, which to-day faced her first competitive test, third. Whirlwind was fourth, Vanitie fifth and Resolute sixth. The course was a triangular one in Long Island Sound. Weetamoe was one minute ahead of Enterprise, with Yankee close astern. Weetamoe took the lead at the start and showed up best on each of the three legs. Enterprise had a bad start.—*Reuter.*

R.M.C. v. I ZINGARI

The R.M.C., Sandhurst, beat I Zingari by six wickets. Score:—

I ZINGARI

First Innings		Second Innings	
Lieutenant-Colonel L. L. Hoare, l.-b.-w., b. Hughes	6	b. Orton	2
A. R. C. Southby, c. Roffey, b. Forsyth	42	b. Orton	86
G. S. Grimston, c. Page, b. Hughes	0	c. Radcliffe, b. Forsyth	10
D. A. W. Thesiger, b. Hughes	26	b. Hughes	37
Captain C. A. A. Nicholson, c. Page, b. Orton	11	b. Orton	19
D. Stephens, c. Forsyth, b. Hughes	16	b. Forsyth	0
Captain H. F. Lucas, b. Forsyth	14	b. Taite	5
M. Crofton, c. Orton, b. Taite	41	not out	37
Captain W. Le G. G. Horton, b. Hughes	0	l.-b.-w., b. Orton	7
Captain H. W. Houldsworth, c. Forsyth, b. Taite	28	c. Page, b. Orton	16
C. M. Smiley, R.M.C. (sub.), not out	0	c. and b. Orton	0
Extras	24	Extras	31
Total	208	Total	250

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE

First Innings		Second Innings	
J. B. E. H. Radcliffe, c. Horton, b. Smiley	4	b. Grimston	24
V. L. M. Wainwright, c. Horton, b. Grimston	0	not out	28
D. A. C. Page, c. and b. Crofton	27	c. Thesiger, b. Smiley	0
J. T. Knight, c. Grimston, b. Smiley	39	b. Smiley	1
H. B. Vaughan-Arbuckle, b. Smiley	115	not out	9
L. A. J. Roffey, not out	82		
R. H. Taite, b. Smiley	13	c. Thesiger, b. Grimston	3
P. M. Hughes, b. Stephens	50		
A. R. G. M. Edwards, c. Lucas, b. Grimston	10		
C. T. Orton, c. and b. Smiley	8		
H. W. Forsyth, b. Smiley	2		
Extras	41	Extras	6
Total	391	Total (4 wkts.)	71

DENSTONE v. TRENT

Denstone beat Trent College at Denstone. Score:—

TRENT

J. Barker, c. and b. Smith	30
H. Wight, b. Smith	2
W. Walker, c. Kidson, b. Carter	3
C. J. Jonklaas, b. Smith	18
J. Atkinson, c. Carter, b. Stocks	22
G. Swain, run out	32
G. Parker, c. Stocks, b. Mills	27
J. Ensor, run out	10
J. Fitton, c. Mills, b. Smith	0
K. F. Ho, b. Mills	0
B. L. Mitchell, not out	0
Byes, &c.	14
Total	158

DENSTONE

H. K. Mills, not out	72
A. J. B. Temple, c. Swain, b. Walker	21
D. H. Watkins, c. Swain, b. Fitton	8
G. Stocks, c. Fitton, b. Jonklaas	22
A. Shentall, c. and b. Mitchell	18
P. Kidson, l.-b.-w., b. Barker	13
B. Smith, b. Fitton	2
Byes, &c.	14
Total (6 wkts.)	170

P. Broadhead, A. Carter, H. Ryle, and H. Place did not go in.

MOTOR-CYCLING

TOURIST TROPHY MEETING

A. J. Guthrie, of Hawick, won the lightweight event in the Tourist Trophy meeting in the Isle of Man yesterday. As expected the record for the lightweight race was broken, Guthrie covering the seven laps of the 37¾ miles circuit in 4hr. 4min. 56sec., as against the 4hr. 8min. 10sec. by S. A. Crabtree last year. Guthrie's average for the 264 miles was 64.71 m.p.h., compared with the old record of 63.87 m.p.h. Although the first two men both beat last year's winning time, many of the 30 starters found the pace and the exacting conditions of the tortuous, undulating course too much for their lightweight bicycles, and there was quite a lot of engine trouble with the little motors of only 250 c.c.

Except for the fifth lap, when there was a slight increase, the average steadily dropped from the time that J. Sarkis, the South African, led on the opening circuit at 66.76 m.p.h. Sarkis still held the lead on two laps (66.3 m.p.h.), but when he stopped to replenish his machine for the third round Guthrie secured the lead and held it to the end. W. L. Handley, who had won three past Tourist Trophy races and who was one of the favourites for yesterday's event, made a promising start, being second for two laps and beating the lightweight lap record in his second circuit, which he covered in 33min. 52sec., a speed of 66.86 m.p.h., as against the 66.63 m.p.h. by the Italian, P. Gherzi, last year; but he was forced to give up in the next round through a broken oil tank.

The weather was perfect at the start, visibility and the condition of the roads being good, but Snaefell mountain was obscured by a heat haze and fears arose that, as on Monday, the sun would melt the tar and produce skids. Troubles soon began to overtake the lightweight machines, and their tiny engines began to feel the strain of the excessive pace to which they were put. S. A. Crabtree, the holder, was put out of the race, at Braddon, with carburettor trouble. L. H. Davenport was held up at Quarter Bridge, being in difficulties with his engine; J. Fondu, the Belgian, had to give up, on reaching the pits, with a broken brake rod. Great disappointment was felt when Don Hall had to retire with engine trouble at Ballaugh.

No club or team prizes were awarded.

The placings were:—

	H.	M.	S.	M.P.H.
A. J. Guthrie (A.J.S.)	4	4	56	64·71
C. W. Johnston (O.K.-Supreme-J.A.P.)	4	7	22	64·07
C. S. Barrow (O.K.-Supreme-J.A.P.)	4	9	27	63·54
S. Gleave (S.G.S.-J.A.P.)	4	10	2	63·39
J. G. Lind (South Africa) (A.J.S.)	4	10	46	63·21
E. A. Mellors (New Imperial)	4	11	59	62·90
E. Twemlow (Cotton-J.A.P.)	4	14	35	62·26
C. Tattersall (S.G.S.-J.A.P.)	4	19	6	61·17
C. E. Needham (Rex-Acme)	4	20	14	60·91
V. Anstice (Excelsior)	4	21	56	60·51

The above gain replicas for finishing within one-tenth of the winner's time.

	H.	M.	S.	M.P.H.
G. Himing (Rudge-Whitworth-J.A.P.)	4	34	15	57·79
J. H. Blackburn (Excelsior-J.A.P.)	4	39	48	56·65
P. A. E. Vare (Rex-Acme)	4	53	26	54·02

CROQUET

RANELAGH TOURNAMENT

The croquet tournament at Ranelagh was continued yesterday when a close match was concluded in the first round of the Gentlemen's Open Singles by H. Corbally, the Irish player, just beating R. Leetham Jones by two games to one. In the second round of the same event Colonel C. E. Wilson, playing steady croquet, disposed of H. F. Crowther-Smith, who only scored five points in two games. Details:—

Gentlemen's Open Singles.—First Round (concluded).—H. Corbally beat R. Leetham Jones, +6—4+9. Second Round.—Colonel C. E. Wilson beat H. F. Crowther-Smith, +26+21; Major-General Sir A. Paris beat F. H. White, +16+16. Third Round.—"A N Other" beat "Max," +8+13.

Ladies' Open Singles.—Second Round (concluded).—Mrs. W. L. George beat Mrs. W. H. Hope, —12+11+6; Miss R. Weightman beat Mrs. Ernest E. Turner, —4+12+11; Mrs. C. Waydelin beat Mrs. A. Snow —1+12+16.

Mixed Doubles Handicap.—First Round.—H. Corbally and Mrs. Corbally (12½) beat H. F. Crowther-Smith and Mrs. S. Jennings (8) by 6.

P. G. T. Kingsley has resigned the captaincy of the Oxford University Association Football Club, as he will not be in residence next term, and W. B. Goulding (Christ Church) has been elected in his place, while W. H. Bradshaw (Trinity) has been elected secretary.

Westminster School 2nd Eight beat St. Paul's School 2nd Eight in a return match on Tuesday from the University Stone to Hammersmith Bridge in 8min. 35sec.

POLO

INTER-REGIMENTAL TOURNAMENT

The first round tie in the Inter-Regimental Tournament between the 11th Hussars and the 8th Hussars, which was played at the Aldershot Command Polo Club, was won by the 11th Hussars' team by six goals to three.

The teams were:—

11th Hussars.—J. F. C. Dugdale, No. 1; Captain K. Alexander, No. 2; Captain R. W. Verelst, No. 3; and D. S. Schreiber, back.

8th Hussars.—D. S. Cripps, No. 1; F. R. W. How, No. 2; G. P. Kilkelly, No. 3; and Lieutenant-Colonel H. L. Jones, Back.

TAUNTON VALE

In the first round of the Taunton Vale Polo Club's annual tournament for the Portman Challenge Cup, the Exeter Polo Club's team, composed of four gunner officers, beat the Orchard team (received 2½) by eight goals to 3½.

The teams were:—

Exeter.—R. H. Hannay, No. 1; J. H. Beattie, No. 2; Major F. H. N. Davidson, No. 3; and Captain S. C. D'Aubuz, back.

Orchard.—Captain J. B. Glencross, No. 1; D. Worrall, No. 2; Dr. R. Burgess, No. 3; and P. Barron, back.

GOOD GAME AT TIDWORTH

The first round tie in the inter-Regimental Polo Cup Competition was played at Tidworth yesterday, when the Royal Scots Greys beat the King's Dragoon Guards by seven goals to six. The Dragoon Guards were unlucky to lose this match, for they were on level terms at the end of the sixth chukker. In the extra period the Greys were awarded a 60-yards hit for a technical cross, and H. P. Guinness scored. It was one of the finest games that has been seen on the ground.

The teams were:—

Royal Scots Greys.—M. H. E. Lopes, No. 1; W. Connal, No. 2; H. P. Guinness, No. 3; R. L. Findlay, back.

King's Dragoon Guards.—J. W. Wilder, No. 1; Major T. H. Gladstone, No. 2; Major H. Hatfield, No. 3; Captain R. L. Greenshields, back.

TOULSTON

In a match at Toulston, near Tadcaster, Yorks, W. Riley-Smith's Farmers' team conceded a start of 2½ goals to the Gunners, and just managed to win by the fraction of a goal (6—5½). Riley-Smith hit all the winners' goals, while the losers' points were shared by Nickols, Colonel Lucey, and Major Graham.

The teams were:—

Farmers.—Major F. Colley, No. 1; E. A. Swifte, No. 2; J. F. Holdsworth, No. 3; and W. Riley-Smith, back.

Gunners.—W. F. Nickols, No. 1; Colonel W. F. Lucey, No. 2; Major P. L. Graham, No. 3; and Major H. Nickols, back.

ETON NOVICE SCULLING

The finals of the Eton College Senior and Junior Novice Sculling Races took place on Saturday over a course on the Thames, from Brocas Clump upstream to Sandbank and back to Brocas Rails. There were 75 entries for the senior race and 64 for the junior race.

The results were:—

SENIOR

Final Heat.—Windsor 1st Station: T. Frame-Thomson, 1; Eton 2nd Station: Sir J. Piggott-Brown, 2; Eton 1st Station: L. M. Middleton, 3; Windsor 2nd Station: J. M. McC. Fisher, 4.

Won by four lengths; two lengths between second and third. Time, 10min. 34sec.

JUNIOR

Final Heat.—Windsor 2nd Station: D. Gladstone, 1; Eton 2nd Station: N. M. Daniel, 2; Eton 1st Station: W. H. Gerard-Leigh, 3; Windsor 1st Station: J. A. P. Bagre, 4.

Won easily. Time, 10min. 40sec.

STOKE PARK COLONY, BRISTOL

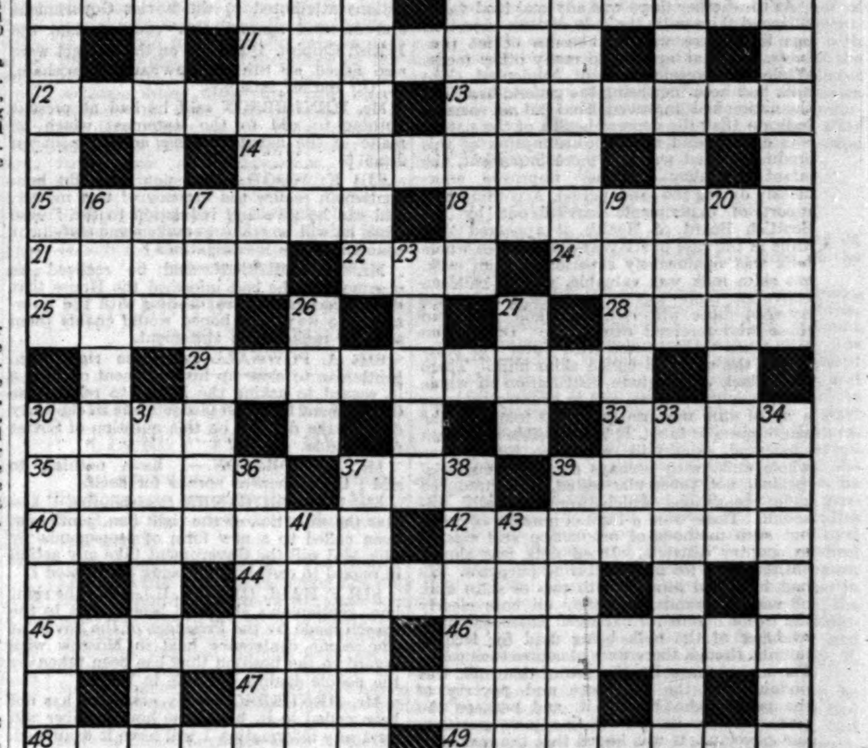
The managers of Stoke Park Colony, Stapleton, Bristol, have appointed the following to the consultant and research staff of the several institutions under their care:—

R. J. A. Berry, M.D., F.R.C.S., F.R.S.E., formerly Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Melbourne, and honorary psychiatrist to the Children's Hospital, Melbourne, to be director of medical services; J. A. Nixon, C.M.G., M.D., F.R.C.P., Professor of Medicine in the University of Bristol, consulting physician; E. W. Hey Groves, M.S., F.R.C.S., M.D., B.Sc., Professor of Surgery in the University of Bristol, consulting surgeon; J. Walker Hall, M.D., Professor of Pathology and Bacteriology in the University of Bristol, consulting pathologist and bacteriologist; A. E. Iles, O.B.E., M.B., F.R.C.S., ophthalmic surgeon, Bristol General Hospital, consulting oculist; J. Angell James, Jun., M.D., F.R.C.S., M.R.C.P., assistant surgeon, Ear, Nose, and Throat Department, Bristol Royal Infirmary, consulting laryngologist; and T. B. Wansbrough, M.B.Bristol, D.M.R.E.(Cantab.), consulting radiologist.

In making these appointments the managers have acted in accordance with the intentions and expressed wishes of the late Warden, the Rev. H. N. Burden.

The angling season opened for roach, bream, perch, barbel, chub, dace, pike, carp, tench, and other fish on Tuesday. Prospects of sport are good. Fish are showing well in the Thames, Lea, Colne, Wey, Medway, Arun, Avon (Hampshire), Kennet, Great Ouse, and other rivers.

THE TIMES CROSSWORD PUZZLE No. 118



ACROSS

1 The saucy jade, to appear on the platform!
6 How the world looked to Noah.
11 Circular, yet nearly all angles.
12 Toil that is worth while in the end.
13 Once a Papal seat.
14 Some dark men hardly alter when they laugh.
15 Suitable short title for the Imperial Press Conference.
18 Some people like to forget their sins, Hamlet wanted his remembered in these.
21 They sound like parts of the breakfast.
22 This number of dons may suffer from strain.
24 How steel looks when it has a "downward tendency."
25 A name connected with wars and roses.
28 The dangerous part of summer pests.
29 I can't cart (anag.).
30 England bowler in a strange state.
32 You can make her look wooden.
35 She aided her husband in his fleecing.
37 A familiar French last.
39 To be gloomy is to make others so.
40 The flourishing part of a dramatic magician.
42 Scene of political tea parties.
44 Humble rank that sounds exclusive.
45 Suitable word for a legal start.
46 A come-down for the Highlander.
47 Foolish.
48 Second bargains from sealers.
49 Arterial term.

DOWN

1 This bird looks like a bit of another.
2 To take two sorts of fruit at once naturally looks rather grasping.
3 Humbles.
4 The beginning of a borough.
5 If the syllables were inverted one would have to pay attention, and you may be called to attention if you do it.
6 The name of this vessel suggests that it has one characteristic in common with others.
7 This will help you to get a rise with least work.
8 A couple of knights, apparently Siamese twins, with nothing in front of them.
9 Dogs that suggest the uproar is diminishing.
10 Hardy rulers.
16 The gentleman is less dry when there's nothing in him.
17 Tells.
19 All these novel writers lack erudition, but that is not all they lack (hidden).
20 Inclined to undue favouritism.
23 Sometimes allowed a margin.
26 This, when 27 reversed, becomes Greek.
30 More pew (anag.).
31 Worshippers.
33 Not hard up, as you see.
34 Improved.
36 It sounds like the call of the bell.
37 Turning-point.
38 This type has a foreign look.
39 Even unanagrammatically talking hops is talking shop to him.
41 A seer self-effacing.
43 "Floreat . . ."

SOLUTION OF PUZZLE No. 117

I	N	C	O	M	E	S		R	A	V	E	N	N	A
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The one hundred and nineteenth crossword puzzle in this series, together with the solution of puzzle No. 118, will appear in *The Times* to-morrow.

Parliament

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HOUSE OF LORDS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18

The LORD CHANCELLOR took his seat on the Woolsack at a quarter to 4 o'clock.

The Stockport Corporation Bill, Rotherham Corporation Bill, and Manchester Corporation (General Powers) (No. 2) Bill were read a second time.

The Liverpool Corporation (No. 2) Bill and the Shropshire, Worcestershire, and Staffordshire Electric Power Bill were read the third time and passed.

DRIED AND TINNED SKIM MILK

LORD CRANWORTH drew attention to the increasing importation and consumption of dried and tinned skim milk to the detriment of the market for British-produced whole milk, and asked, in view of its grave effects on the health and physique of the nation, what steps the Government proposed to take in the matter. He also moved for papers. He said an increasingly rigorous demand was imposed on the British farmer for the higher and better production of milk. Was it fair that he should be saddled with this increased cost of production unless his foreign competitors were also saddled with the same burden? The most important consideration, however, was the health of the nation. The deterioration of the national physique was a cause of great anxiety. In former times people had wholesome food, though perhaps not enough of it. Now many of them lived mainly on cheap cigarettes, canned food, and aperients. (Laughter.)

LORD HASTINGS said there was an abundant case for an investigation into this subject from the standpoint of the Ministry of Health. It might astonish their lordships to know that in 1919 the importation of this machine-skimmed milk was only 181,000 cwts. For 1929, according to Board of Trade figures, it exceeded, 2,050,000 cwts., and the value of these imports was no less than £3,251,000. There was, apparently, an unlimited market for the product. That was a factor which dairy farmers had to take into account and they must try to get the market for themselves. The thing to do was to try to secure the market either with a dried skimmed milk produced under the most careful conditions and not under conditions which they could not control, and which they suspected as being far from ideal, or with a dried whole milk condensed and produced in tinned form. The securing of the market at present held by this imported article would be a tremendous help to the British dairy farmer. If the Ministry of Health came to the conclusion that this stuff was—as he personally believed—rubbish, their duty was to prohibit its import. If they declared that it was not rubbish, they should let us manufacture it ourselves, under proper supervision and conditions. The demand for it was so large that he doubted if any Government could prohibit its import here and now. If, however, a Bill were introduced, enacting that its importation should be prohibited in, say, two years, during the interval British capital would be forthcoming to erect the factories necessary to manufacture it here.

GOVERNMENT VIEW

LORD MARLEY, Parliamentary Under-Secretary, War Office, said that the Government had a great deal of sympathy with the motion. They considered that the use of milk was of immense importance for the maintenance and improvement of the health of our people. They were also in agreement with the object of improving the market for British milk. They believed that fresh whole milk was by far the best food for the nation, and that it was particularly valuable for feeding infants, but the nation could not live entirely on milk. Nothing he said should be taken as suggesting that the Government were supporting the use of tinned skim milk against whole milk; they knew it was inferior. It might be classed as a second-class food. It was not, however, possible to prohibit the import of milk merely because it was a second-class food. He did not think that there could be any complaint as to the conditions of production of this milk abroad.

As to whether there was any real food value in tinned skim milk, the only dietetic objection was that there was an absence of fat products, but that applied to many other foods. While the consumption of condensed skim milk had been increasing the general health of the nation had improved. That did not seem to indicate that the general health of the nation was deteriorated by the consumption of this product. What was still more important, the infant mortality rate had improved enormously during the same period. According to a report of experiments carried out by the Scottish Board of Health, it appeared that while in the case of six-year-old children whole milk was significantly superior to skim milk, yet skim milk was valuable, and in children above six there was no significant difference between those who received whole milk and those who received skim milk. Dried skim milk when reconstituted with water was practically the same as boiled skim milk. There was a lack of adequate distribution of whole milk in country areas, and in country cottages a tin of milk was nearly always found on the mantelpiece or table. It was possible that even condensed skim milk might be better than whole milk, with perhaps a serious manurial residue, not tubercular-tested, and produced under conditions which were radically unsound. These were a limited number of cases, but such methods of production still existed in country districts. Dried milk was almost entirely used for manufacturing purposes. He had furnished himself with tins of skim milk of various brands, and they all bore clearly the words "unfit for babies." There was little evidence of the milk being used for feeding infants, though there were of course such cases. The main reason for the use of this milk was undoubtedly the ignorance and poverty of the people who bought it, and perhaps the best attack on its use was to attack ignorance and poverty. It was hoped that the measures taken by the Government to improve education, clear away slums, and provide better homes would have some effect in lessening the extent to which this condensed skimmed milk was used for feeding children. There was no justification on the ground of public health for departing from the present policy of allowing unrestricted imports.

The motion for papers was, by leave, withdrawn.

STATE-AIDED EMIGRATION

VISCOUNT MERSEY asked the Government what progress was being made with State-aided emigration, and moved for papers. At present the question of State-aided emigration was being dealt with in a very modest manner, and very little money was spent on it compared with the immense sums devoted to unemployment at home. He suggested that the trade unions should use their influence with their colleagues in the Dominions to facilitate the removal of some of the restrictions on emigration which existed there. He welcomed the appointment of Mr. Thomas as Secretary of State for the Dominions. Vision and vigour were two of his principal qualities, and those qualities were needed to deal with the State-aided emigration, which could be resorted to very much more than had been the case up to the present.

EARL PEEL said that Canada offered the best opportunity at present for emigration from this country. Vast possibilities of development existed there. It would not only be right but good business to send out a fine class of emigrant. Canada was very proud of its people, and if we showed that we could send out men of quite as good stock nothing would be a better advertisement for the enlargement of emigration. He did not know whether all had been done that could be done to develop advertisement of the advantages of emigrating to the Dominions. He hoped that this subject would be fully discussed at the Imperial Conference.

The EARL of IDDESLEIGH suggested that while there was undoubtedly a need for advertising emigration, it was work which required to be undertaken with the utmost care and delicacy. He hoped that care would be taken not to raise hopes which could not be satisfied. One sphere in which advertising would be of the greatest advantage was that of women emigrants. Australia, in particular, needed and would admit a considerable number of British female emigrants, and he hoped that his Majesty's Government would do their best to see that the women's training colleges received their full complement of applicants.

LORD PONSONBY, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Transport, who said he had been asked to reply because, during the first six months of this Government, he was chairman of the Overseas Settlement Committee, deprecated the question of emigration being brought into the political arena or associated with the question of unemployment. Much harm had been done to emigration in both these respects. This was not a political, much less a party, question; it was an economic, and largely a scientific, question. The first thing to be taken into account was the wishes, the needs, and the economic position of the Dominions. If they failed in this, they at once came to grief. They must have people who wanted to emigrate; there must be no question of trying to get rid of people who were not inclined to go. Except with regard to single women, the applications to go overseas were far greater than they could place or would be accepted. There was, therefore, really no need for any very great extension of publicity. The question of Dominion acceptance was one of the most important considerations which had to be taken into account. The trouble for the time being was the economic condition of New Zealand, Australia, and Canada. There was no reluctance on the part of the Dominions to receive men and women of British stock; on the contrary, there was eagerness, but there were barriers, largely of an economic description, in the way, which need not be emphasized by bringing in any sort of political bias, but which, he hoped, in future years might be overcome sufficiently to allow of a greater flow. Meanwhile he was making no announcement of policy on the part of the Government, but obviously this was one of the questions which required very close consideration with the Dominions, and the Government were waiting until the Imperial Conference met to have the opportunity of such consultation.

The motion for papers was withdrawn.

Their lordships rose at 14 minutes past 6 o'clock.

HOUSE OF COMMONS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18

The SPEAKER took the Chair at a quarter to 3 o'clock.

NEW WRIT

On the motion of Mr. PARKINSON, Lord of the Treasury (Wigan), a new writ was ordered to be issued for the Northern Division of Norfolk to fill the vacancy caused by the elevation of Mr. Noel-Buxton to the peerage.

THE AIRSHIP R 100

Mr. MONTAGUE, Under-Secretary for Air (Islington, W.), informed SIR A. POWNALL (Lewisham, E., U.) that he hoped that it would be possible to arrange for a flight of members of the House in the Airship R 100 on one of the middle Saturdays in July.

NAVAL DISCUSSIONS

Mr. HENDERSON, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs (Burnley), in reply to Mr. MANDER (Wolverhampton, E. L.), to LIEUT.-COM. KENWORTHY (Hull, Central, Lab.), and to Mr. ALBERY (Gravesend, U.), said that while no Franco-Italian-British negotiations on naval armaments had taken place since the adjournment of the London Naval Conference, the subject naturally came up in conversation with the French and Italian Ministers for Foreign Affairs during his recent visit to Geneva. As regarded proposals for the suspension of naval shipbuilding, he would refer the hon. members to the conciliatory offer of the Italian Government to suspend, while the negotiations for which the Naval Conference was adjourned were proceeding, the laying down of any units of their 1930 naval programme provided similar action was taken by the French Government. This offer was announced in Signor Grandi's speech to the Senate on June 2.

THE POSITION IN CHINA

Mr. HENDERSON informed SIR K. WOOD (Woolwich, W., U.) that his Majesty's Minister at Peking reported that the National Government forces, after an initial success, had retreated before the Northern coalition, who were pushing forward in Shantung. In the south the rebel forces, abandoning their attack on Canton, had made a rapid advance northward, the Government's forces having been withdrawn to a point only some 40 miles south of Hankow. Fighting between the Government and rebel forces near Foochow appeared to have resulted in the defeat of the rebels. Disturbances had occurred in Amoy, but his latest report was that all was now quiet there. There had been no further communications with the Chinese Government on the subject of extraterritoriality since he answered the right hon. gentleman's question on May 28.

SOVIET PROPAGANDA

SIR K. WOOD asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether he could now make a statement concerning the examination which had been proceeding relating to the various actions attributed to the Soviet Government and directed against this country and the British Empire. Questions on this subject were also asked by SIR A. POWNALL (Lewisham, E., U.) and Mr. ALBERY.

Mr. HENDERSON said he had at present nothing to add to the statement which he made in the debate on the adjournment on June 6.

SIR K. WOOD.—Does not the right hon. gentleman realize the urgency of this matter, and can he give any indication to the House when he will be ready to make some statement concerning the investigations?

Mr. HENDERSON said he realized its urgency, and he had informed the House that the Government were dealing with the question in a way they hoped would enable them soon to make some statement.

SIR A. POWNALL asked the right hon. gentleman to clear up his statement of June 6 in regard to asking the House to release the Government from the pledge made in the early days of the debates on this question of Soviet propaganda.

Mr. HENDERSON.—I have nothing to add; the statement speaks for itself.

Mr. MARJORIBANKS (Eastbourne, U.).—Has the attention of the right hon. gentleman been called to a new form of propaganda by film, and will the Government take any action in regard to certain films being distributed?

SIR F. HALL (Dulwich, U.).—Has the right hon. gentleman's attention been drawn to the speech made by the President of the Soviet at the recent conference held in Moscow with regard to the position that has been taken by the people against our rule in India?

Mr. HENDERSON.—My attention has not been called to it, but if the hon. member will send any information I will have it examined.

SOLDIER'S DEATH AT PESHAWAR

QUESTION OF COMPENSATION

The following question stood on the Order Paper in the name of Mr. O. LEWIS (Colchester, U.):—To ask the Secretary of State for India whether his attention has been called to the fact that Dispatch-Rider Bryant, of the 1st Armoured Car Company, Royal Tank Corps, who was murdered by the mob in Peshawar city on April 23, was the main source of support for his two aged parents; and whether any compensation will be payable for his death.

When the SPEAKER called on Mr. LEWIS, Mr. BROCKWAY (Leyton, E., Lab.), rising to a point of order, submitted, "in view of the very serious relations between this country and India and the fact that an inquiry is still proceeding in this matter," that the word "murdered" ought not to have been permitted in this question. (A UNIONIST MEMBER.—"Nonsense.")

The SPEAKER was understood to say that he did not think it would make very much difference what word was used.

EARL WINTERTON (Horsham and Worthing, U.) said that in the official *communiqué* of the Government of India the phrase appeared "killed by the mob." Was not any hon. member entitled to use the word of the *communiqué*—killed, or murdered?

Mr. MACLEAN (Glasgow, Govan, Lab.) asked if it was not the case, during the period in which the Black and Tans were being used in Ireland, that no question was passed at the Table which laid it at the door of the Black and Tans that they were murdering anyone in Ireland.

The SPEAKER.—If there is any doubt in any hon. member's mind, it would be better to put "killed."

Mr. LEWIS said he had no objection to substituting the word "killed" for "murdered."

Mr. SANDERS, Financial Secretary to the War Office (Battersea, N.), replying to the original question, said his attention had not previously been drawn to this case. While compensation as such was not payable in respect of the death of a soldier, the question whether the parents were eligible for a pension from Army funds was being investigated.

NO IMPORTS CONTROL BOARD

SIR K. WOOD (Woolwich, W., U.) asked the Prime Minister whether he had any intention of proposing to the House the setting up of an imports control board.

Mr. MAC DONALD (Seaham).—Not this Session.

EVENTS IN MALTA

Mr. FOOT (Bodmin, L.) asked the Prime Minister if an opportunity would be given to the House to discuss the position in Malta as set forth in the published correspondence with the Holy See relative to Maltese affairs.

Mr. MAC DONALD replied that if it were desired to discuss the action of his Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom in relation to the correspondence, the matter could most conveniently be raised on the Foreign Office Vote.

Mr. THURTLE (Shoreditch, Lab.) asked if the Government was proposing to take any action now to mark its dissatisfaction with the action of the Vatican in this matter. Mr. MACDONALD.—The Government is perfectly prepared so far as its relations with the Vatican are concerned, to leave the matter where it is.

RECRUITING FOR THE ARMY

Mr. HACKING (Chorley, U.) asked the Secretary for War whether there had been any improvement during the past three months in the number of persons being recruited into the Army.

Mr. SANDERS replied that, compared with the same period last year, there was a fall in the intake of recruits during the past three months.

Mr. HACKING asked what method had been adopted to improve recruiting. Mr. SANDERS said he could not give a detailed reply, but he could assure the hon. member that the matter was receiving the continuous and careful attention of the Secretary of State and the Army Council. SIR A. POWNALL (Lewisham, E., U.) asked to what extent recruiting had fallen off. Mr. SANDERS.—Compared with last year at the same period, about 500. EARL WINTERTON asked if it was proposed to follow the practice adopted by previous Secretaries of State in similar circumstances—for the Secretary of State himself to address meetings in the principal centres. DR. SALTER (Bermondsey, W., Lab.).—Certainly not.

TREATMENT OF CANCER

Miss LAWRENCE, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Health (East Ham, N.), replying to Mr. MILLS (Dartford, Lab.), said that no financial assistance was provided from the Exchequer for the provision of beds for the special treatment of cancer, but Parliament had voted £100,000 towards the provision of radium. The figure of 550 mentioned in the question was presumably an estimate of the number of beds available only in those hospitals which were devoted wholly or mainly to the treatment of cancer, but it would be understood that the majority of cancer patients who were treated in hospital were admitted to general or public authorities' hospitals.

UNEMPLOYMENT

SIR A. CHAMBERLAIN'S CALL FOR NEW POLICY

The House went into Committee of Supply (Mr. R. YOUNG, chairman of Committees (Newton), in the chair). On a vote of £1,500,000 for grants in respect of Employment schemes

SIR A. CHAMBERLAIN (Birmingham, W., U.) moved to reduce the vote by £100. He said that he made this motion as a Parliamentary expedient which would secure for the Committee the widest possible opportunity of discussion. It was in no sense from a desire to censure the Government that he moved a reduction, and whether the reduction would ultimately be voted upon would depend upon what the Prime Minister or other members of the Government might say in exposition of their policy on this subject. Even since the House last discussed unemployment there had been a considerable change in the situation. Having quoted the utterances of the Prime Minister, who said in April last year that "the Labour Government was the only Government which could deal with the problem of unemployment with courageous determination," and of Mr. Snowden, who said, about the same time, that "We will not disappoint those who have shown a belief in us," Sir A. Chamberlain said hope deferred maketh the heart sick. The machinery which the Prime Minister had prepared for dealing with unemployment had been scrapped, and he had started afresh. He was forming a new Committee, and he was inviting, in regard to some aspects of the problem, the cooperation of other parties. There had been two conferences already, and what had been the history of them? There was a non-party conference on agriculture. It met, it deliberated, it formulated conclusions, and then it was allowed to perish away. As long as it deliberated and did nothing more, it was permitted to continue; but the moment it formulated conclusions its work was suspended and it had never been allowed to meet again. Then there was the three-party conference on electoral law, which had been engaged at intervals in discussing the important matters that were referred to it; but another conference had taken place behind the backs of its members between Mr. Lloyd George and the Prime Minister. Was the new conference which the Prime Minister proposed to be allowed not merely to deliberate but to formulate its conclusions? Was the Prime Minister going to act upon them, or was the first moment when it made definite proposals to be the signal for its extinction? If any of them went into such a conference, was the business to be done in the conference or on the back stairs? (Opposition cheers.)

In an interview which he gave to the principal organ of the Press of the Labour Party, Mr. Lloyd George proposed a further conference of this kind; but he (Sir A. Chamberlain) was not surprised that the Prime Minister was a little coy before Mr. Lloyd George's wooing. They did not mean the same thing. Mr. Lloyd George wanted to share power without responsibility, and the Prime Minister desired to share responsibility while retaining all power. (Ministerial cheers.) It would be well if the Prime Minister would define his position exactly, and say what measure of trust and freedom he was going to allow to such a conference if it took place, and whether he was prepared to implement and carry out their decisions if they arrived at decisions.

GOVERNMENT'S EXCUSES

The Prime Minister and his colleagues had pleaded from time to time as an excuse for their failure the difficulties of Parliamentary procedure, especially in the case of a Government which had not an independent majority in the House. That, in the circumstances, was really not an honest plea. The Prime Minister had not been refused by the House any powers for dealing with unemployment for which he had asked. (Hear, hear.) Nor could the Prime Minister honestly say that the fact that he was in a minority had prevented him from putting forward the policy which in his heart he believed would be a cure for unemployment. It was true that a Government in a minority could not expect from the House that support which was given to a Government with a great and independent majority. But, in a situation so grave as the present, if the Prime Minister really believed he had a solution—a true solution and the only solution—he was bound by the obligations of his office to produce it to the House, to challenge the House to take the responsibility of rejecting it, and if the House did take that responsibility to appeal to the country on the issue. (Hear, hear.) He thought the Prime Minister would agree with that principle, and accordingly if the right hon. gentleman did not produce the policy of "Labour and the Nation" it was not because he was in a minority Government, but because he and his colleagues felt that not only did there lie no solution of our difficulties in that programme, but that any attempt to carry it out would only aggravate the situation. (Hear, hear.)

AGRICULTURAL UNEMPLOYMENT

The hope that public works undertaken by local authorities would carry us through to the revival of trade must by this time have been abandoned by every one. It might still be necessary to undertake what were, in effect, relief works. But when local authorities thus anticipated work which normally would have been spread over years, obviously it meant that the amount of work which would otherwise be available for future years would be diminished. The more work of that kind they now carried out the more they increased the burden of unemployment which future years would have to bear. Moreover, at the conference of local authorities presided over by the Prime Minister on Tuesday, voices were heard declaring that they had nearly reached the limits, both of the work they could profitably undertake and the financial resources they could make available for them.

Another dark aspect of the situation was that to industrial unemployment, agricultural unemployment was now being added. Coal was to be made to pay even if it cost the consumer more; but the agriculturist could not expect to receive a living wage unless he earned it by selling his produce in competition with the rest of the world. The only relief agriculture could thank the Government for was their making the ex-Minister of the Department a peer. (Laughter.)

The more we were confronted with industrial and agricultural unemployment the more imperative became the necessity not for palliative remedies but for a review of our whole national economy. The remedy was finding markets for the goods we produced and had to sell. We could not find permanent markets by inviting everybody to take in everybody else's washing, but by finding markets for our products. Some of those markets were not within our control. But there were our own markets. Had the Government, either by administrative action or by taking statutory powers, taken any steps to secure that we should consume our own products? Nothing of the kind was being done. Appeals had been made to local authorities, but of a national policy there was no trace. Nothing was done to give Empire produce preference, but our doors were held wide open to any and all competitors no matter what the conditions of their labour or the conditions of society in which the product of that labour was produced. Nothing was being done to secure a reasonable share of such foreign trade as might be available to foreigners in their own markets and in return for the freedom which we gave to foreigners in our markets. We could never expect to attain our old position of supremacy and superiority in the European markets. It was quite certain that, equally, in the Dominion markets, we could not expect that the Dominions would allow friendship for us, sympathy with our difficulties, or affection for the great conception of the Commonwealth of Nations, either to destroy trades which they had established or to prevent their national development, each in its own country. But we had an assurance from the Dominions that, where they could not fill their own need, they would sooner deal with us and buy from us than from outside the Empire. If that was so, were we prepared, by reciprocity, to make our own contribution? At present no concerted and organized effort was being made to get us a fair share of such trade as was still obtainable. No organized effort was being made to cultivate those ties between us and our Dominions which would give us an opening to markets of the greatest promise.

In reply to Mr. LLOYD GEORGE (Carnarvon Boroughs, L.) the CHAIRMAN said that Sir A. Chamberlain would not be in order in developing his speech on the lines of Free Trade and Protection, or of Empire Free Trade.

SIR A. CHAMBERLAIN, in conclusion, said that, in dealing with unemployment, the Government might double and quadruple their expenditure; they might go on borrowing and spending, piling up obligations and forestalling work, but they would be no nearer to the solution of the real problem. They could not deal with it merely by summoning representatives of local authorities to add to their burdens, to discover something called useful work which they would never have thought of spending their money on but for the depression of employment. They had to place the question on a wider footing, to examine it afresh, and to go to the roots of the evil instead of playing about on the surface. (Cheers.)

PRIME MINISTER'S REPLY

"THE LONG VIEW"

Mr. MAC DONALD said he heartily agreed with the statement that they must get to the root of the problem. It was perfectly true that, as the result of a resignation from the Government, changes had taken place, but he hoped hon. members would not doubt that, so far as the work done by the Lord Privy Seal in re-adapting our industrial conditions so that they might be fitted for placing goods satisfactorily in the markets of the world was concerned, that work was being and would be continued. No change that had taken place in machinery must be taken as an indication of a change in the purpose of the Government.

There were two aspects of the problem. First, there was the long view, the reconditioning view, the view of looking forward, the view of preparing, during these very trying and troublesome times, for us to take our fair share in the world's production and consumption as soon as conditions became a little more normal.

The other view was that while that work was being done there was a pressing problem of temporary unemployment. Sir A. Chamberlain did not seem to appreciate that problem at all. He asked what was the use of summoning the local authorities to a conference. Was he opposed to that conference? There was a good deal of work that could be done by local authorities. During the past 12 months they had had valuable experience of the relations between the central Government and the local authorities. A committee that had been appointed by the conference were devising programmes and methods. They were considering whether the handling of the transport question had been done in the best way, and they were considering the distribution of the responsibilities for various types of roads. There were a thousand and one problems that could be discussed now with the idea of coming to definite conclusions regarding experiences in connexion with schemes that had already been considered, and that conference ought to be one of the most important steps recently taken from the point of view of the short time attempts to deal with the unemployment problem. The proposals in "Labour and the Nation" held good. (Ministerial cheers.) Nobody said that within the first 12 months the Labour Party were going to carry out everything in "Labour and the Nation," and he challenged effective contradiction of that statement. They had been told by Sir A. Chamberlain that when dealing with a foreign country with whom we had a commercial treaty on, say, subsidized oats, it was very difficult to discover how we could free ourselves for action. But who concluded that treaty? The right hon. gentleman (Sir A. Chamberlain) himself. When Mr. Baldwin said the other day that he would at once denounce those commercial treaties, he (Mr. MacDonald) thought it was far too much to assume that he would do anything of the kind.

"NOT TO BE HUSTLED"

Mr. Baldwin had also referred to the difficulties of land settlement. The present Government would take the risk of land settlement, but it was Mr. Baldwin's Government that was responsible for depriving them of the opportunity of pursuing that policy by the alteration they made in the law in 1925 and 1926 which took away the powers to take land for settlement. "If we are to have emergency legislation," Mr. MacDonald proceeded, "we shall have to report that to the House. I am not going to be hustled. If it is necessary to take emergency powers in order to align agricultural policy with unemployment policy—and my heart all goes in that way—one of the things that will be included in the emergency legislation is the annulment of the action the late Government took three or four years ago."

In the economic relations between the Dominions and this country (Mr. MacDonald continued) it was difficult to find a time when good will and the desire to cooperate were better. At this very moment the Dominions and ourselves were in almost daily consultation about the scope of the discussions of the economic conference that would meet concurrently with the Imperial Conference. Every subject of mutual economic interest to the Dominions and ourselves would be eligible for the fullest possible discussion.

The problem of unemployment had very largely changed. If it was a problem purely in terms of ourselves, as it was up to five or six years ago, when the great issue before the last Government was what was going to be done with specially distressed industries like the mining industry, then the Government could just go on in the same way as its predecessor. But the problem had gone very much farther than that. They had now got world conditions heralded by a lowering of world prices and a shattering of confidence, which made regular steady trade impossible. It occurred to him to be well worth considering a proposal made by members—and by newspapers—of all parties that this was a subject that might be regarded more than ever as one in which the House of Commons should, in a phrase he had used before, act as a council of State. The invitations to a conference were no attempt to form either a two-party coalition or a three-party coalition, and they were not sent for the purpose of promoting backstairs influence. The invitations were sent for the purpose of getting the three of them to meet together, with such friends and helpers as they might choose within reasonable limits, to put their ideas into a common pool and see whether they could come to a measure of agreement which would enable important legislation to go through without being blocked and delayed. Papers and information could be supplied, but the final decision, the executive judgment and the responsibility would remain with the Government.

AN ADVISORY STAFF

They had seconded certain Civil Servants from their own departments and they were directing their whole attention to this problem. The chief of them was Sir John Anderson, the Permanent Under-Secretary for the Home Office. A very important representative of the Treasury, the Board of Trade, the Ministry of Labour, and the Chief Adviser to the Economic Advisory Council had also been attached to the staff, so that the investigating, the sifting, and the suggesting would be as thorough as the Civil Service and these very admirable servants could make it. This was the organization: it was the ordinary Cabinet responsibility, with a sub-committee. The Ministry of Agriculture was represented on the sub-committee.

VISCOUNTESS ASTOR (Plymouth, Sutton, U.) asked if there was any chance of getting a woman Civil servant attached to the Committee.

Mr. MAC DONALD said he was very much obliged for the suggestion, and would certainly take it into account, but what they had to do was not to consider men and women but to consider the experience and efficiency which they could lay their hands on. He agreed with Sir A. Chamberlain when the right hon. gentleman said it was no use spending money under the impression that they were solving unemployment; but they had to spend public money in order to tide over difficulties. In the case of the Lancashire cotton workers, for instance, it was no good dispersing them all over the country; they must keep them in Lancashire until they knew the final word of Lancashire and the use to which it was going to put its labour. Where the Government took credit was that in the changes they had made in unemployment insurance, while this was going on in Lancashire the condition of the Lancashire unemployed was very much better than it would have been if the Labour Government had not been put in office 12 months ago. He agreed, however, that they ought not to spend public money on relief work, or anything like relief work, under the impression that they were solving unemployment.

Ought you to do the same thing (Mr. MacDonald concluded) about protection and safeguarding? I have wandered into places where important men held the theory that the right hon. gentlemen opposite hold, that the way to develop the home market is something in the nature of protection or safeguarding. But I have never yet discovered in any one of those countries conditions different from our own. I have discovered that wages are lower, hours are longer, and the incidence of unemployment even worse. The party opposite have been drifting dangerously, and if they are not very careful they will land themselves in the camp of Communism, to say nothing of Socialism. Let us come to that little conference; let us go to the root of the matter; and I will undertake that Sir A. Chamberlain will find evidence that the line he is going on up to now is false; that his road leads nowhere; and that when he has discovered the root of the problem he will be a very different person in his outlook from what he is at the present time. (Ministerial cheers.)

MR. LLOYD GEORGE'S VIEWS

Mr. LLOYD GEORGE said that, so far as the Liberal Party was concerned, he had accepted not merely the invitation which the Prime Minister had tendered to himself and the Leader of the Opposition to cooperate with the Government in the solution of unemployment as a national problem, but he also accepted the conditions laid down by the Prime Minister before the Whitsuntide recess. (Cheers.) It would be interesting if the House could hear from Mr. Baldwin before the debate closed what view he took of the invitation. He agreed absolutely that the responsibility must rest with the Government, who not merely represented the Sovereign, but also Parliament, and were responsible to Parliament. They could not abdicate their legal and constitutional responsibility. Sir A. Chamberlain had examined the unemployment problem in a singularly fair and able manner, though he (Mr. Lloyd George) did not agree with his concluding views.

He was not in the least concerned with the discussion between the two front benches as to which could exhibit the widest gap between pledge and performance. He did not regard that as a profitable discussion at this stage. The situation was a very grave one and he agreed that they ought to examine the whole position afresh. (Cheers.) He rather took the view of Sir A. Chamberlain in preference to that of the Prime Minister. There was no doubt that unemployment had been aggravated by conditions which he hoped were temporary, but there was a permanent problem, or at least a very big problem, which had extended over 10 years. Even if the figures had not run up to 1,700,000 they would always have 1,000,000 unemployed confronting them, and that was a problem which some Government ought to consider afresh from a national point of view without any prejudices and examine every proposition which was honestly put forward to solve the problem. Sir A. Chamberlain seemed to have forgotten that the greatest export trade in Europe was ours at the present moment. The right hon. gentleman had spoken as if in our tariff and revenue conditions we were at a disadvantage with other powers who adopted other methods. So far as manufactured goods were concerned we had certainly the largest export trade in the world, but in addition to that if they took the amount per head of the population our trade was infinitely greater. If we had only the same export trade as the countries whose example Sir A. Chamberlain recommended us to adopt, the number of unemployed in this country would be nearer 5,000,000 than 1,700,000. The United States had followed enthusiastically the doctrine of protection and the result had been disastrous from a financial and business point of view. Every one knew what was happening in Australia. Sir A. Chamberlain had taunted the Liberal Party with harking back to the policy of the middle of the last century, but the right hon. gentleman wanted this country to go back to the policy followed two or three centuries ago. (Ministerial cheers.) But he (Mr. Lloyd George) would prefer that these questions had not been discussed, because if there were any practical proposals for solving the problem of unemployment they should be brought forward.

He agreed with Sir A. Chamberlain that mere expenditure of money on things which were not in themselves productive would not merely not solve the problem, but would aggravate it. (Cheers.) He hoped that all proposals would be considered from that point of view. He did not think there was a fundamental difference between the short and long programmes. The short programme was no good unless it was going to help the long programme. Money ought to be spent with a view to reconditioning and re-equipping the nation. He believed it could be done in such a way as to enrich the country and improve the home market. They should consider what they would do if they had a syndicate running Britain on business lines. There should be no prejudice for or against any particular class, but they should consider what would be useful to the country as a whole. He hoped, however, that the Government would not say that money must not be borrowed because it would disturb the market. He did not believe it. If money was useful for re-equipping the nation and making it more effective as an industrial and agricultural community, why should the nation not raise money as a corporation did? (Ministerial cheers.) He hoped that there would be no shrinking on the part of the Government, or any one in the Government, from using the credit of the nation for the purpose of improving the condition of the nation. (Ministerial cheers.)

This country was still very rich; it was computed by a reliable economist that between £400,000,000 and £500,000,000 was being saved every year, even at the very worst. Why on earth should the funds and the credit we possessed not be used to develop the resources of the country? It had been said we had a market at home, and he agreed; he had always said that the greatest market at home was the agricultural market, and he hoped the Committee would give close and earnest consideration to the question of how that market was to be captured. He hoped that those who went into the Committee would go with a perfectly open mind, including the Government. The Government had made declarations, especially with regard to credit and expenditure, which he hoped they would not consider that they were bound by, and that they would reconsider the whole problem afresh. If they and the Unionist and the Liberal Parties did so he believed they would be able to evolve something that would rescue the country from one of the gravest conditions which it had ever been in. (Cheers.)

Mr. W. STEWART (Belfast, S., U.) asked the Prime Minister to ensure that the Committee would consider the question of the gold standard and its relation to exchange, which was an important factor in employment.

Mr. MALONE (Northampton, Lab.) said that half of the existing unemployment was

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concentrated in four industries—textiles, coal, building, and the distributive trades. In regard to cotton, he urged that the report of the Committee appointed by the Government to inquire into the condition of the trade, should be published and dealt with as soon as possible.

ROAD SCHEMES

LIEUT.-COL. ASHLEY (New Forest and Christchurch, U.) said that no conference and no general staff would solve unemployment as it existed to-day. It was a fallacy to think that by spending money, whether on roads or anything else, they could alleviate unemployment. Three or four years ago, at the Ministry of Transport, they really eliminated and had anticipated all road schemes which could legitimately be anticipated from the transport point of view. Of course, if the Government said that they were going to make new roads to relieve unemployment, whether they were wanted or not for transport purposes, they could, as long as the Road Fund lasted, carry on for a very long time. But he did not think the Committee would agree definitely to departing from the view that they should not anticipate any road, bridge, or transport work unless they were convinced that the scheme was sound and was being done now, instead of two or three years hence, to tide over an emergency.

Hon. members would have seen the very interesting correspondence in *The Times* newspaper recently about certain works which it was proposed to carry out on the Bath road in the county of Wiltshire. There, under great pressure from the Ministry of Transport, the Wilts County Council had agreed, for the relief of unemployment, and for no other reasons—because nobody could pretend that it was needed for traffic—had agreed to spend £300,000 a year, spread over five years. That, on the basis that £1,000,000 spent in a year would result in the employment of 4,000 people, would mean that 250 men every year would be employed under this scheme. Was it worth while spending public money on works which were not justified from the road point of view, and certainly not from the aesthetic point of view? The cardinal point of the present Government's policy was to offer bribes to local authorities to undertake work. That was a most vicious principle, especially at the present time when we ought to practise the most rigid economy.

Mr. MORRISON, Minister of Transport (Hackney, S.), said that if Colonel Ashley had been a little quicker in spending money when he was at the Ministry of Transport there would not perhaps have been quite so much temptation for Mr. Churchill to take money from the Road Fund. The present Government set about devizing a programme of trunk road and classified road development, first in order to develop an efficient transport system, and, secondly, taking into account the limitations to which the highway authorities would go. The Bath road, which had been discussed in a newspaper which was one of the greatest destructive forces of modern journalism when one wanted to get anything done, illustrated perfectly the need for looking at the highway system not only for to-day but for long periods ahead. To-day we were spending large sums in compensation and the purchase of property simply because some Government in the past did not look far enough ahead in the construction of the width of the road. In order that the local authority should be saved the cost of the repairs of substance that would have to come, in order that traffic requirements might be anticipated, and in order that they might contribute towards employment, this was a scheme that ought to be done. Financially, it would pay the county council to accelerate that work and do it now. There was an idea that the Ministry of Transport went about looking for scenery that it could destroy. His engineers were enthusiasts for preserving amenities, and no beauty would be destroyed. There would be a slight widening on either side, but practically not a tree or hedge would be touched, and, so far as it was touched, they would replant and see that in due time the beauty was restored. What was the good of members opposite condemning the Government for not employing enough people and then starting agitations which would interfere with schemes that would put people at work?

SIR J. FERGUSON (Twickenham, U.) said that unemployment would be one of our most damaging features until we got some betterment in the position of our export trade.

LIEUT.-COM. KENWORTHY (Hull Central, Lab.) said that he would like to see the patriotism of the whole people enlisted to solve the problem of unemployment as it was enlisted during the War.

Mr. MOND (Liverpool, East Toxteth, U.) said that Parliament must concentrate on making the relief of unemployment a national policy, or else parties would be swept aside and some other body other than the House would become necessary in order to solve the problem.

Mr. MILLER (Fife, E., L.) said he was sure all parties welcomed the plea for cooperation and the hearty response which Mr. Lloyd George gave to it.

Mr. TURNER (Batley and Morley, Lab.) thought that the larger local authorities were unduly favoured in the matter of unemployment schemes.

VISCOUNTESS ASTOR said she was sorry for the Prime Minister and the Labour Party, because it must be a mortifying thing for them to have to go to the House of Commons and say, "We are in a mess; help us to get out."

Mr. TOOLE (Salford, S., Lab.) said that full advantage had not yet been taken of the possibilities of road construction.

Mr. BOOTHBY (Aberdeenshire, E., U.) said he believed there was a tremendous potential market waiting to be developed within the British Empire. He agreed with Sir O. Mosley that the home market was capable of great expansion, but anyone who took that view was driven back on safeguarding or something analogous to it. He did not believe in a non-party conference; still less did he believe that the three political leaders, who existed to fight each other, would agree on a policy. The problem of unemployment would not be solved by politics. It was a question for economics and science and for a tremendous national effort by the Government, the leaders of industry, and workers to bring about its settlement.

Mr. HURD (Devizes, U.) expressed surprise that the Minister of Transport should have launched an attack on *The Times* for opening its columns to discussion on the question of road policy and presumably for sending its own commissioner to the West of England to ascertain for itself in an independent way exactly what traffic there was on the main roads on which such large sums of money were to be expended. The Minister displayed singular forgetfulness of the many great progressive causes in which *The Times* had led public opinion in this country.

The discussion was continued by Mr. HARDIE (Glasgow, Springburn, Lab.), MAJOR MUIRHEAD (Wells, U.), and Mr. W. TAYLOR (Norfolk, S.W., Lab.).

SIR J. GILMOUR (Glasgow, Pollok, U.) said the country would be wrong to assume that what had been stated on behalf of the Government in regard to the unemployment problem represented a wide departure from the procedure adopted by previous Governments. What mattered was not the kind of committee that was set up but the spirit in which the problem was approached.

Some indication had been given that members ought to abrogate their rights and duties as political critics and parties and they were invited to go into conference. It was not for him, but for the leader of his party, to give the reply, but in his judgment the real responsibility lay with the Government of the day. While men of good will in any party desired to help to solve the problem they could across the floor of the House and in public give their views and put their policy before the country. It was hard to say whether they could go into conference or not.

Mr. MAC DONALD.—May I ask whether the right hon. gentleman is speaking for his leader, with whom we are in direct communication, or speaking for himself?

SIR J. GILMOUR said the answer to the invitation which had been given must be the answer of the Leader of the Unionist Party. Supposing they went into a conference, on what kind of footing was it to be done? He understood the possibility of dealing with dumped cats to have been ruled out, while Mr. Lloyd George had repeatedly stated his view that something must be done to deal with that problem. Was one of the fundamental things which Mr. Lloyd George had committed himself to deal with really to be debarred? One of the chief problems was not only to stimulate production and employment, but to make certain that goods were produced at a price which the rest of the world would pay. Road and drainage schemes were of extremely limited possibilities. We had some of the best roads already, and if anything was to be done in the future it ought to be in the direction of assisting local authorities in regard to second-class roads. It was essential to the solving of the problem of unemployment that encouragement should be given to the trade of the country by the provision of reasonable protection and security to the producers of goods. What was to be feared was that such talk as that of managing banks on Socialist principles would retard the restoration of public confidence.

MISS BONDFIELD'S REPLY

Miss BONDFIELD, Minister of Labour (Wallsend), said the amazing fact of the present period of our history was the growth of control on socialistic principles exercised in various ways by members and supporters of the Conservative Party. (Hear, hear.) The fear of public Socialist control was a mere bogy and had no reality in fact. As to the use of British goods, she assured the Committee that that was one point which was very specially emphasized in connexion with all grant-aided schemes of work. The amount of non-British material used in connexion with the total grants of £36,000,000 was, so far as they had been able to estimate, not more than £2,000 in the work which had either been entered into or was about to be entered into. (Hear, hear.) And that £2,000 worth was only used because either the material needed could not be got here or could only be got by holding up the rest of the work. She agreed as to the gravity and seriousness of the situation in the staple trades of the country, but it was not in accordance with the facts to say that that situation was due to a Socialist Government being in office. So far from a Labour Government being a deterrent to the business of the country, never in the history of the British Parliament had there been such cordial cooperation between groups of business men and the Government as existed at the present time. (Opposition and Ministerial cheers.) No one who knew anything of the conferences that were taking place could deny that perfectly simple statement of fact. The shocks from which British industry had suffered were the Hatry and that kind of shock. (Hear, hear.)

There had been a real misunderstanding on the question of transfer. It had been exaggerated out of all proportion to the place which it occupied in connexion with unemployment grant schemes. From June 1, 1929, to June 11, 1930, some 1,794 schemes of a total estimated cost of £36,600,000 were approved by the Unemployment Grants Committee, and the transfer condition was attached to only 505 of those schemes, of an estimated cost of £8,750,000. The total number of men, women, and boys transferred from August, 1928, to June, 1930, had been 56,000. It had been a matter of trying to offer a premium to those authorities that were willing to come to the aid of the distressed areas in that manner. Since the new Act came into force there had been a reduction of 150,000 in the number of persons receiving out-door relief. A large proportion of them had been transferred to the live register; they had been put on to the central organization and taken off the shoulders of the local authority, so that from the standpoint of adding a burden to the local authorities their critics had not got a leg to stand on. The Government had been able to do something to increase the number of training centres so that the younger men and women might be fitted to meet the new conditions of industry. One of the reasons why she would like to see an insurance scheme for agriculture was because it was necessary to break down the separation between industrial and agricultural workers.

SIR H. CROFT (Bournemouth, U.) said that this country imported £300,000,000 worth of manufactured goods, and if £200,000,000 worth of those goods were made in this country over 1,000,000 persons would be once more placed in employment. To continue on the present lines was merely fiddling while Rome was burning. (Opposition cheers.)

The amendment to reduce the Vote was negatived by 259 votes to 230—majority, 29; and the further debate on the Vote was adjourned.

The House stood adjourned at half-past 11 o'clock.

ALL-NIGHT SITTING ON FINANCE BILL

15 HOURS ON ONE CLAUSE

The House of Commons, which met at 2.45 p.m. on Tuesday, did not rise till 12.35 p.m. on Wednesday—a sitting of 21 hours and 50 minutes.

The House went into Committee on the Finance Bill at 20 minutes to 4 on Tuesday afternoon, when the consideration of Clause 17 was begun. That was concluded about 9 o'clock, and then the consideration of Clause 18, which empowers the Special Commissioners to obtain "from any body corporate" copies of registers of securities, was entered on and engaged the attention of the Committee until some 20 minutes before the House rose yesterday afternoon.

On an amendment moved by SIR D. HERBERT (Watford, U.) to provide that the copy of the entries should be certified by the signature of a duly authorized agent of the "corporate body" previously referred to, Mr. PETHICK-LAWRENCE agreed to the copy of the entries being certified by the signature of "a duly authorized person." While the discussion on this point was proceeding, Mr. PETHICK-LAWRENCE moved the closure, which was greeted with cries of "Gag!" and "Shame!" The closure was carried by 202 votes to 76—majority, 126. The amendment, in its amended form, was then agreed to.

Mr. WOMERSLEY (Grimsby, U.) moved an amendment providing that payment shall be made for the copy, not at the rate of 5s. per 100 entries, as laid down in the clause, but at the rate of "sixpence or such less sum as such body of persons may prescribe for every 100 words or fractional part thereof required to be copied."

Mr. SNOWDEN said he could not accept the amendment, which, in a large number of cases, would mean that the remuneration would be less than it would be if the original words were retained.

Mr. CHURCHILL said that the remuneration proposed by the Government was an insulting farce compared with the labour and burden imposed on the clerical staff of the various companies which had to do this work.

After over an hour's debate, Mr. SNOWDEN, at 10 minutes past 3, moved the closure, which was carried by 198 votes to 73—Government majority, 125. The amendment was negatived by 190 votes to 78—Government majority, 112.

At half-past 3, Mr. CHURCHILL moved to report progress, and suggested that Mr. Snowden should be content to finish Clause 18 and then adjourn.

Mr. SNOWDEN said that he had been justified at the beginning of the sitting in expecting to get to the end of Part II. of the Bill. He was not prepared to accept Mr. Churchill's motion, and if the right hon. gentleman would make another proposal about 12 or 1 o'clock he might consider it. (Ministerial cheers and Opposition counter-cheers.)

The discussion on the motion had lasted for 20 minutes when Mr. SNOWDEN moved the closure, which was carried by 191 votes to 69—Government majority, 122. The motion to report progress was negatived by 191 votes to 68.

THE QUESTION OF PENALTIES

SIR D. HERBERT moved an amendment to make the principal of the company, and not the clerk or secretary, liable to the penalty prescribed under the clause. Mr. PETHICK-LAWRENCE suggested a slightly different form of words, and this was agreed to.

SIR D. HERBERT moved to reduce the penalty of £50 for every day during which default continues to a penalty not exceeding £5 a day.

Mr. SNOWDEN said he could not accept the amendment in the form moved, but he would agree to an amendment providing for a further penalty, of the same amount as the original penalty (a sum not exceeding £50), for every day that the default continued after judgment had been given.

While the amendment was under discussion attention was called to two Government supporters who were lying at full length on the back bench. The CHAIRMAN (Mr. Young) said that both the hon. members were out of order, and would they kindly "sit up"? Amid loud laughter and cries of "Order," the hon. members complied with the Chairman's ruling and the debate proceeded.

At 20 minutes past 5 Mr. CHURCHILL again moved to report progress. It was perfectly absurd, he said, to talk about reaching Clause 27. (Cheers.) Nearly eight hours of divisions alone would result from such a procedure. If the Chancellor of the Exchequer would accept a motion to report progress by 6 o'clock the Opposition would give him the whole of Clause 18.

Mr. SNOWDEN, however, made no reply, and Mr. CHURCHILL then caused much amusement by remarking that he had never known a Government spokesman refuse to indicate whether or not he would accept a motion to report progress, even if it were only by a grunt!

Soon afterwards Mr. SNOWDEN once more moved the closure. During the division some members on the Government benches persisted in whistling, and were called to order by the Chairman. The closure was carried by 188 votes to 67, and the motion to report progress was negatived by 187 votes to 68—Government majority, 119.

Hon. members then continued the discussion on penalties. Mr. CHURCHILL declared that this multiplication of penalties on the subject, and of new crimes and offences, was one of the worst features of modern bureaucracy as handled by a Socialist Administration.

Mr. SNOWDEN, at 6.30, moved the closure, which was carried by 183 votes to 68, and SIR D. HERBERT'S amendment was negatived by 177 votes to 77—majority, 100.

MAJOR NATHAN then moved the insertion of the following new subsections:—

(6) A notice shall not be served by the Special Commissioners under this section unless they have, not less than 28 days before such service, served upon the person to whom such notice relates written notice of their intention so to do, accompanied by a statement, signed by not less than two of the Special Commissioners, stating that in their belief he has failed, omitted, or neglected to disclose to them material details affecting the extent of his liability to income-tax or surtax which inspection of the register concerned would reveal and setting out their reasons for holding such belief.

If the person to whom such notice relates shall within the said period of 28 days institute proceedings in the High Court, calling upon the Special Commissioners to prove that they have reasonable grounds for believing that he is guilty of such concealment as aforesaid or else to be restrained from the service of such notice, the Special Commissioners shall not serve the said notice unless and until it has been determined by the order of a Judge of the High Court (from which there shall be no appeal) that the Special Commissioners have reasonable grounds for such belief.

(7) Provision shall be made by rules of Court for regulating the procedure under subsection (6) of this section.

COMMANDER SOUTHBY (Epsom, U.), in supporting the amendment, said it afforded reasonable protection for the taxpayer.

Mr. PETHICK-LAWRENCE said that the amendment rested on an entire misunderstanding, and related to something which was non-existent.

Mr. CHURCHILL heartily agreed with the amendment.

Mr. E. BROWN (Leith, L.) declared that a protest of this kind was long overdue.

The closure was again moved at a quarter-past 8, and carried by 182 votes to 71. The amendment was negatived by 175 votes to 80—Government majority, 95.

"SUPREME INSOLENCE AND INDIFFERENCE"

Mr. CHURCHILL moved to report progress in order to ascertain the intentions of the Government. He said that the Chancellor of the Exchequer had treated the arguments of the Opposition with supreme insolence and indifference. (Cries of "Withdraw!") It detracted from debate when Ministers sat dumb as if they were the masters of the House of Commons and no one else should wink or breathe. (Laughter.) If there was to be no answer from the Government he gave the right hon. gentleman notice that he would, without hesitation, use the further powers that the Opposition had in order to procure respectful treatment. (Opposition cheers and Ministerial ironical cheers.)

SIR K. WOOD then attempted to address the Committee, but was interrupted by cat-calls and jeers from the Government supporters. When order had been temporarily restored there were loud whispers of "H'sh" from Ministerialists, and at last the CHAIRMAN intervened and said that "this swishing all over the place" was out of order. (Laughter.)

After further discussion, at five minutes to 9, SIR A. STEEL-MAITLAND (Tamworth, U.) and several other Opposition members rose to continue the debate, but Mr. SNOWDEN moved the closure, amid loud cries of "Gag."

The closure having been carried by 180 votes to 73—majority, 107—the motion to report progress was negatived by 183 votes to 75—majority, 108.

Mr. CHURCHILL at once rose and said:—"In view of the unprecedented event which has just taken place—namely, the entire absence of debate on the question put by you, Mr. Chairman, from the Chair, with an obvious conspiracy of silence maintained on the Ministerial benches—I feel bound to move, under Rule 68, that you do now leave the Chair. (Opposition cheers.) I make this motion for the express purpose of inviting the Prime Minister, who is, we believe, in the House, to come to the aid of the Committee in the difficult situation in which it now finds itself. This long and strenuous debate has been conducted with decorum and without ill-temper, but I warn the Government——(Ministerial cries of "Oh!") I am bound to draw the attention of the occupant of the Chair to the fact that very strong feelings are excited by the continued refusal of the Government to take part in the discussion.

Mr. BECKETT intervened on a point of order to ask whether the right hon. gentleman was entitled to discuss the conduct of the Government, or only the merits or demerits of the Chairman's action.

The CHAIRMAN said that the merits or demerits of his action did not come in at all. (Opposition cheers.)

Mr. CHURCHILL said that he made his motion because of the silence of the Government Front Bench and the unprecedented fact that the entire debate on this question had taken place with an absolute refusal on their part to answer. The Chancellor of the Exchequer contumaciously withheld the desired information as to what the Government's intentions were. He asked that the Prime Minister should come and perhaps prevent matters assuming a very different complexion from that which they had hitherto assumed.

SIR A. STEEL-MAITLAND supported the motion, and was giving his reasons for doing so when

Mr. SNOWDEN, who was greeted with loud ironical Opposition cheers and Ministerial counter-cheers, submitted that the motion was not in order. He said that the Standing Order referred to provided that the procedure in Committee of the whole House might at any time be discontinued by an order to report progress or by an order that the Chairman should leave the Chair. It was not within the meaning of the Standing Order that the second order—that the Chairman should leave the Chair—could be exercised after the first one. These orders were alternatives and not supplementary to each other. The Committee had just decided not to report progress, and so the second alternative could not be exercised. The only difference between the two alternatives was that if the first were carried the Committee could sit again, and it would simply be the adjournment of the debate; if, however, the motion now before the Committee were carried, it would mean the end of the Bill.

THE CHAIRMAN ruled that it was within his competence to accept or refuse the motion. He was understood to add that there was a precedent for such a motion being moved in this way.

SIR A. STEEL-MAITLAND then proceeded with his speech.

"WE WANT THE PRIME MINISTER"

At 12 minutes to 10 o'clock Mr. SNOWDEN moved the closure, the motion being greeted with loud Opposition cries of "We want the Prime Minister." The motion was carried by 188 votes to 78—majority, 110. When the House was cleared for the division on Mr. Churchill's motion, the Opposition renewed the cries of "Prime Minister." The motion was defeated by 194 votes to 79—majority against, 115.

The Committee then proceeded to discuss the question that Clause 18, as amended, stand part of the Bill.

SIR K. WOOD reviewed the clause in the light of the alterations that had been made in it, criticized it as infringing the liberty of the subject, and appealed to the Government to put in, at a later stage, some safeguarding provision which would prevent the clause being used against individuals. While the right hon. gentleman was speaking, Mr. Graham, President of the Board of Trade, entered the House and took his seat next to the Chancellor of the Exchequer. Sir K. Wood welcomed Mr. Graham's appearance, and informed the right hon. gentleman that, "curiously enough," the Committee were still discussing the same clause that was under consideration when he left the House "last night." There was a slight interruption of Sir K. Wood's speech when Mr. C. WILLIAMS called the Chairman's attention to the fact that there were not 40 members present. A "count" was called, but the requisite quorum was quicky forthcoming, and Sir K. Wood proceeded with and concluded his speech, declaring, in his last words, that the inclusion of this clause in the Bill had not been, and could not be, justified.

Mr. HASLAM, the Unionist member for Horncastle, who followed, had not been speaking for more than a minute or two when Mr. DUNNICO, who had relieved Mr. Young in the Chair, interrupted him to say that he must rule that he could not allow the mere repetition of arguments which had been used on amendments which had been moved earlier in the proceedings. He was, he said, most anxious to protect the rights of the minority, but he had also to safeguard the rights of the majority. He wanted to deal quite fairly, but he must rule that "needless repetition" must not take place.

SIR S. ROBERTS (Sheffield, Ecclesall, U.) said that this was a very drastic ruling. They were now discussing an entirely new question—namely, that the clause stand part of the Bill—and he had always understood, and when he was chairman of a Committee had always ruled, that on a new question an argument was not repetition merely because it had been used on a previous amendment. Such a ruling as Mr. Dunnico had given should not be allowed to go without some comment and protest.

Mr. DUNNICO said that hon. members would be perfectly in order in giving reasons why the clause should not stand part of the Bill, but not in going into a detailed discussion of various amendments which had already been dealt with. The Standing Order laid it down that it was out of order for arguments to be repeated unnecessarily, and he was simply warning hon. members that, while they would be in order so long as they confined themselves to giving reasons why the clause should not stand part, they must not engage in needless repetition.

Mr. HASLAM then proceeded with his speech, first of all protesting that, in what he had said up to the time of the Chairman's intervention, he had not been guilty of repetition. He was followed by MAJOR DAVIES and SIR A. STEEL-MAITLAND. The closure, which was moved by Mr. SNOWDEN, was carried by 222 votes to 80—majority, 142.

Clause 18, as amended, was ordered to stand part of the Bill by 222 votes to 90—majority, 132.

ATTACK AND COUNTER-ATTACK

At 11.25 Mr. CHURCHILL, who was received with loud Opposition cheers and ironical Ministerial cheers, moved to report progress, and invited the Chancellor of the Exchequer to state what course he would pursue in the future progress of the Bill. The right hon. gentleman had held the House strictly to business for one of the longest sittings which he (Mr. Churchill) could remember in recent times. He did not think that the right hon. gentleman could feel altogether satisfied with the result and there were much better ways of dealing with a party in opposition almost numerically equal to his own. It was really dreadful to go on wearing the Committee out by a species of physical torment. The right hon. gentleman had not been fighting for any money to-night. The first clause which the right hon. gentleman had introduced must have been put before him (Mr. Churchill) on four or five occasions. He had put scores of these clauses, which the Department had pressed aside and had said, "This is a Budget and not a menagerie." (Laughter.) The second clause raised a great point of consequence.

This debate had taken place because the right hon. gentleman had been fighting, not for revenue or for the purpose of detecting and putting a stop to improper tax evasion—in which the Opposition would be perfectly willing to cooperate with him—but simply in order that what he chose to put into the Finance Bill should be rammed through, whatever the cost to the convenience of the Committee, of the party, or of the Government of which the right hon. gentleman was a prominent feature, if not, indeed, on all occasions a bright ornament. (Ministerial cries of "That is dirty" and "You are not bright.") The right hon. gentleman was already late for his Cabinet meeting, if that had not been put off, simply because all through the night he had kept the Committee up trying to show that he was master. He was not master. (Opposition cheers.) This was a very difficult country for anybody to be master in, and the House was a difficult place for any man to try to rule by the use of a majority and the closure, and by stern and harsh measures. No doubt the Opposition were sometimes very provoking, but if they were met in a reasonable spirit, and if parts of the Bill which were really necessary for the finance of the year and for the prevention of evasion were dealt with in a form acceptable to the House, much more rapid progress would be made.

Mr. SNOWDEN, who was received with loud and continued Ministerial cheers and ironical Opposition cheers, said that the party opposite might have had the pleasure, which they appeared to be anticipating with great glee, of hearing him four hours ago if the right hon. gentleman had, on that occasion, addressed his appeal in terms as courteous as those which he had now used. He had intended when the right hon. member last moved a motion of this character to reply at once and to respond to the right hon. gentleman's appeal if it had not been for his two or three concluding sentences (loud Ministerial cheers), which were characterized by an insolence and offensiveness (Ministerial cheers and Opposition laughter) of which the right hon. gentleman was an incomparable master. It was quite impossible, after what the right hon. gentleman had said, to take any other course than the one he had adopted and refuse to reply to requests so insolently put. (Ministerial cheers.) He had been charged by the right hon. gentleman repeatedly and by another member of his party with having treated the House of Commons with contempt. He had never treated the House of Commons with contempt (Ministerial cheers and Opposition laughter), nor had he consciously treated the Opposition with contempt. On the contrary, he had done his very best to hide it. (Loud Ministerial cheers and laughter.) While he recognized that the Opposition had certain rights, which should be respected so long as they were not abused, it was no part of the right of the Opposition to try to dictate to the Government, as the right hon. gentleman had attempted to do, what they should put into or take out of a Bill. Members opposite had repeatedly said that the clause which had been occupying the Committee for the last 12 hours had been in a large measure transformed, and by amendments which he or his colleagues had proposed.

SIR L. WORTHINGTON-EVANS (Westminster, St. George's, U.).—After pressure!

Mr. SNOWDEN.—Not at all. The right hon. gentleman has not been present. The right hon. gentleman, I suppose, runs away so that he may live to fight later in the day. (Laughter.) What are we going to do now? (Cries of "Go on.") If the right hon. gentleman, the member for Epping, will address the same question to me in an hour I will tell him, and my reply will be largely determined by the progress made within that hour.

SIR A. CHAMBERLAIN, who was greeted by Ministerialists with cries of "Good morning," said the tone and temper of Mr. Snowden's speech stood alone in the records of Parliament. The right hon. gentleman had confessed that he had tried, though unsuccessfully, to conceal his contempt for the Opposition, but, in saying that he had reflected on the whole House, of which he was himself a member. (Cheers.) Mr. Snowden had explained that he had kept the House sitting for the last four hours out of temper. That being so, it was time that the Chancellor of the Exchequer invited the Prime Minister, who was the Leader of the House, to come and take charge of the proceedings. (Cheers and Ministerial interruptions.) Apparently, certain words which had been used by Mr. Churchill had offended Mr. Snowden's susceptibilities, but Mr. Snowden was himself not very careful of the susceptibilities of his opponents. The right hon. gentleman was always ready to impute motives and to condemn the procedure, the conduct, or the character of the Opposition, but because some phrase used by Mr. Churchill had stuck in his throat, 300 gentlemen were to be kept sitting, not to do business, but to give satisfaction to Mr. Snowden and enable him to recover his temper. (Cheers.) No Minister, however autocratic, would ever succeed in driving the House. The House had to be persuaded, and that was what Mr. Snowden did not try to do. The right hon. gentleman thought that, having a majority, he could override the Opposition. The right hon. gentleman was making himself and the Committee ridiculous, and he should send for the Leader of the House, whose services they were entitled to. (Cheers.)

LORD WINTERTON AND THE CHAIR

LIEUT.-COL. HENEAGE (Louth, U.), who spoke amid a continuous stream of Ministerialist interruptions, said it looked as if the Government were doing all they could to shirk another unemployment debate. As the interruptions continued,

EARL WINTERTON (Horsham and Worthing, U.), who was received with laughter and ironical cheers by Ministerialists, asked the Chairman, on a point of order, whether it would not be easier for his hon. and gallant friend to take part in the debate if he were not subjected to the constant and impertinent interruptions of hon. members opposite. (Ministerial cries of "Oh!" and "Order!")

The CHAIRMAN (Mr. Dunnico) made no response to the intervention.

EARL WINTERTON (to the Chairman).—Will you give me an answer to my point of order? (Renewed Ministerial interruptions.)

The CHAIRMAN.—The noble lord will permit me to rule the Committee. (Ministerial cheers.)

EARL WINTERTON.—May I respectfully ask whether you will proceed to do it? (Loud Ministerial protests.)

The CHAIRMAN.—It is not the first time that the noble lord has been deliberately offensive to the chair. (Ministerial cheers and cries of "Name!") While I am always willing to do my best to every member of the House, I cannot allow the noble lord or any other member to treat the Chair with disrespect. (Ministerial cheers.)

EARL WINTERTON.—If I have said anything which you, Sir, think improper, I shall be ready to withdraw it. But may I, as an old member of the House, appeal to you to keep some order for my hon. and gallant friend? (Ministerial cries of "Oh!")

The CHAIRMAN.—The House has behaved much more disorderly on many occasions than it is at the present moment. As to the suggestion of the noble lord that I am not doing my duty, I will not allow him or anyone else to impute any such thing. (Ministerial cheers.)

EARL WINTERTON (who was received with Ministerial cries of "Sit down").—I unreservedly withdraw any imputation which, in the heat of the moment, I may have made on the Chair. May I once again appeal to you as an old member of the House?

The CHAIRMAN.—The noble lord is adding insult to injury.

Mr. CHURCHILL said that the hour after which the Chancellor of the Exchequer had promised to give some indication of his intentions was practically up, and perhaps he would now make a statement.

The CHAIRMAN said that Mr. Williams was in possession of the Committee.

Mr. WILLIAMS, continuing his speech, thanked Mr. Sexton most sincerely for having given him such a splendid advertisement. (Laughter.) He had been sent there by his constituents to make himself as objectionable as he could to the Government, and he was glad to think he was doing so. (Loud Opposition cheers.) He was sorry that he could not get the same fulsome praise from the Chancellor of the Exchequer, but he lived in hopes on that point. (Laughter.)

WHISTLING IN THE HOUSE

A few minutes afterwards, while Mr. Williams was speaking, a Ministerialist on the back benches began to whistle.

The CHAIRMAN at once requested the hon. member to stop whistling, which, he said, was out of order.

Mr. MILLS (Dartford, Lab.).—If whistling is considered an infliction, what is that? (pointing to Mr. Williams).

The CHAIRMAN.—I rule that whistling is out of order. It has taken place very often during the night (Ministerial cries of "No"), and I warn members that it must not continue.

Mr. CHURCHILL.—Permit me, Sir, very respectfully to suggest that you should ask the hon. gentleman who whistled to own up like a man. (Laughter.)

Mr. BECKETT.—May I call your attention to the fact that before the whistling started the right hon. member for Epping was repeatedly shouting out interruptions in a very loud voice?

The CHAIRMAN was understood to reply that he wished there were only one or two disorderly members. If one member was making an interruption that was no excuse for the member who was whistling.

Mr. HAYCOCK (Salford, W., Lab.).—Should not the speech to which we have been listening be set to music? (Laughter.)

At this point, a member on the Ministerial back benches blew a faint, short blast on what appeared to be a police whistle, amid loud laughter and Opposition cries of "Name."

The CHAIRMAN.—I do not know who the hon. gentleman was who did that, but I think I should ask him to leave the House. (Cheers.)

Mr. CHURCHILL.—Are we to understand, Mr. Young, that these grown-up members of Parliament are afraid to face the music? (Loud cries of "Order.")

The CHAIRMAN.—I hope that now the Committee will allow the hon. member for Torquay to continue his speech.

Mr. WILLIAMS then continued his speech.

"14 HOURS AGO"

At 12.25 Mr. SNOWDEN intervened. He said it was quite clear that the Committee was in a mood not very suitable for turning its attention to serious matters. It had been suggested that the Government had prolonged the sitting to avoid a meeting of the House this afternoon, when he understood that the question of unemployment would be raised. There was no foundation whatever for a statement or suggestion of that kind. He had said, some 14 hours ago, that he had reason to expect that they would make far greater progress with the Committee stage of the Finance Bill, and so enable the House to rise at a fairly reasonable time. However, the Opposition had decided otherwise, and the entire responsibility for the length of the sitting rested on them. (Ministerial cheers and Opposition cries of "Nonsense.") He hoped that the Opposition were proud of their performance. They had certainly not done much credit to themselves, nor added to the prestige and dignity of Parliament. His main regret was that the electors had not been spectators of the proceedings. (Ministerial cheers and counter Opposition cheers.) The Government would not lose a Supply day, and he understood that if the House was to meet at the usual time that afternoon it would be necessary, in order to prepare the papers, that the Committee should rise at once. In face of the circumstances, therefore, he would no longer resist the motion to report progress.

Mr. CHURCHILL said that the right hon. gentleman had continued to use a great many hard expressions about the conduct of the Opposition, for which conduct they were quite ready to take full responsibility. In view of the right hon. gentleman's remarks, he (Mr. Churchill) was bound to put it clearly on record that the right hon. gentleman had been thoroughly beaten (Opposition cheers and Ministerial laughter), and that he had been forced to eat his words. The right hon. gentleman had told the Committee last night that he was going to sit till Clause 27 had been passed, but he knew quite well that that was impossible and that half of that business could not be accomplished. He had gone on defying the House, and to-day, on June 18, he had met his Waterloo. (Loud Opposition cheers.)

When the CHAIRMAN put the motion to report progress, no tellers were nominated for the "Noes." He therefore declared that the "Ayes" had it, and the House resumed.

At 25 minutes to 1 o'clock the SPEAKER adjourned the House, after a sitting lasting for 21 hours and 50 minutes.

PARLIAMENTARY NOTICES

HOUSE OF LORDS

AT 4.15

Board of Education Scheme (Devon, Crediton Exhibition Foundation) Confirmation Bill, second reading.

HOUSE OF COMMONS

AT 2.45

Finance Bill, Committee.

COMMITTEES

HOUSE OF LORDS.—Unopposed, Ministry of Health Provisional Orders (Ashby-de-la-Zouch and Slough, Aylesbury, Chesham and Guildford, Hexham, Chippenham and Grimsby, Brentford and Chiswick, and Ramsgate), Redcross-street Burial Ground (Bristol), Chairman's Room, at 4.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.—Standing Committee A, Housing (No. 2) Bill, Room 14, at 11. Standing Committee C, Road Traffic Bill (recommittal), Room 12, at 4. Standing Committee D, Consumers' Council Bill, Room 10, at 11. Standing Committee on Scottish Bills, Housing (Scotland) Bill, Grand Committee Room, Westminster Hall, at 11. Capital Punishment, Room 11, at 11. Local Legislation, Section A, Darlington Corporation, Room 8, at 11.

NAVAL PROGRAMME FOR 1930-31

FIRST LORD'S STATEMENT NEXT WEDNESDAY

(From Our Parliamentary Correspondent)

Mr. A. V. Alexander, the First Lord of the Admiralty, will make a statement in the House of Commons on Wednesday concerning the British naval building programme for 1930-31.

It will be recalled that when the Navy Estimates for the current financial year were presented no provision was made for new building. It was explained that it had been decided by the Government to defer consideration of this programme until the end of the London Naval Conference, and Mr. Alexander indicated that a Supplementary Estimate would be presented to the House of Commons as soon as possible. The Estimate has now been prepared by the Board of Admiralty, and has been submitted to the Cabinet.

It was thought possible at one time that the Government might decide to bring forward a programme to cover a term of years so as to ensure regularity of building and of employment in the yards. It is understood, however, that the programme to be laid before Parliament next week will be concerned with the current financial year only. It is believed that the programme is solely one of replacement, and it is suggested accordingly that provision may be made roughly for three cruisers, four destroyers, and three submarines.

Mr. Alexander has already stated in the House of Commons that the cost of the new building programme in any case will not exceed £80,000 in the present financial year, as the new vessels would not be laid down until the closing months of the year.

RHODES SCHOLARS

DINNER AT OXFORD

MR. FISHER ON EDUCATION AND GOOD WILL

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT)

OXFORD, JUNE 18

The annual dinner given by the Rhodes Trustees to the Rhodes Scholars who are leaving Oxford after their residence of three years in the University was held to-night at Rhodes House. Mr. E. R. Peacock presided, and there were also present Rhodes Scholars from different parts of the British Empire, the United States, and Germany.

The CHAIRMAN proposed "The Memory of the Founder." He said there were men considered great in their time who grew less as years went on, but there were others who in each generation grew larger, and Rhodes was one of those. (Cheers.) He was a great man who would continue to be regarded as great. He ventured to think that his greatest achievement, and the thing which would have the most influence, was the founding of the Rhodes Scholarships. Already many others had been stimulated to follow his example in one way or another. "We, above all people," added the chairman, "hold him in highest memory."

On the programme was the following quotation from the will of Mr. Rhodes:—"Educational relations make the strongest tie." Mr. H. A. L. FISHER, Warden of New College, speaking on this subject, said that Mr. Rhodes believed that if young men could be brought together to Oxford and made to share in the college life which was distinctive of the place they would obtain a breadth of view, a sense of civic duty, and a gift of intellectual tolerance which in time would exercise its influence upon the public relations of the communities to which they belonged. Was that an idle dream? Mr. Rhodes thought that his scholarships would aid the cooperation of Britons, Americans, and Germans. He had heard it said that the outbreak of the Great War furnished the definite proof that Mr. Rhodes's dream was idle. That was not the view of the Rhodes Trustees. They believed that within the measure of their influence, which was necessarily restricted, the German Scholarships were valuable as enabling some of the best young men in Britain and in Germany to make friendships one with another, and that, had a longer period of time been permitted, the scholarships might have had something of the influence which Mr. Rhodes desired to see. They had accordingly recently taken steps to give certain scholarships to Germany.

POLITICIANS AND THE WAR

Could they altogether trust the future of the world to professional politicians? Had not the universities and the young men who went out from universities their part to play in sweetening international influence? He thought they had. He did not share in the shallow depreciation of politicians. Some might be vicious, some might be corrupt, some might be unintelligent; but he believed that the great majority of men who devoted themselves to political duties were none of these things and would stand comparison in respect of the civic virtues with any other class in the community. But politicians were apt to be imprisoned within the public opinions of their constituencies or respective countries. It was only in rare cases that the politician guided, and in still rarer cases that he dominated, the public opinion of his country. To that reason he attributed the fact that the world had been slow to appreciate the lessons of the War and that, in spite of the experience and intelligence of the politicians, old unintelligent methods of political thinking about war and peace still persisted, so that instead of learning the lesson of closer unity we appeared to be drifting into a world in which a passionate spirit of nationalism was busily erecting barriers between man and man. It was here that education would help, here that the universities had their contribution to make, and more especially was that contribution likely to be valuable when it proceeded from universities like Oxford and Cambridge, which were dependent neither on the State nor on any wealthy corporation, but were free to follow the voice of reason, whithersoever it might lead. They who were now leaving Oxford would, he was sure, feel that some responsibility lay upon them to promote the spirit of good will and mutual understanding which was the ultimate object of Mr. Rhodes's great endowment.

The HEADMASTER of WELLINGTON COLLEGE (Mr. F. B. Malim) also spoke. Referring to the recent visit of headmasters to Canada, he said that everywhere they were received with unfailing kindness and hospitality. Their primary object was to study the universities of the country, and they saw 11 of them. It was difficult to speak of the general impressions created by so many institutions. But they saw that the university life of Canada was closely in touch all the time with reality. It was good to be brought into contact with those live and virile institutions on the other side of the Atlantic. They had a warm welcome from those who had been either scholars in their own schools or Rhodes Scholars. There was no place where they did not find a Rhodes Scholar, so they could say from their own experience "educational relations make the strongest tie." (Cheers.)

The CHAIRMAN proposed "The Rhodes Scholars," and Mr. E. M. REID (Ontario), Mr. BREWSTER MORGAN (Kansas), and Mr. W. K. HANCOCK (Australia) replied.

DINNER TO ARCHBISHOPS AND BISHOPS

LORD MAYOR'S WELCOME TO CLERGY FROM OVERSEA

A dinner to the Archbishops and Bishops was given by the Lord Mayor and the Lady Mayoress at the Mansion House last night.

Proposing the toast of "The Guests," the LORD MAYOR said he welcomed not only the home Bishops, but some of the great company who from oversea had come to take part in the Lambeth Conference, and he was happy to say that they included Bishops from the United States of America. His position as Lord Mayor enabled him to realize what a vast amount of good Christian work was going on in England. Never a week passed but some body of Christian people came to the Mansion House with the story of all they were doing to make England a better and happier place. He could, therefore, realize perhaps better than others what it must mean to the world at large that the hundred or more dioceses which were in communion with the Church of England were so steadily increasing in number, and that wherever there was a Bishop there was a very strong centre for just the same kind of self-denying work for others with which he was familiar. Such a gathering, reminding him of the splendid work for Christ which was going on in every part of the world, moved him to thankfulness and inspired him with hope.

It was a great disappointment to all that the Archbishop of Canterbury was not well enough to be present that night. He had looked forward to being with them with the keenest pleasure. The Lord Mayor read a letter he had received from the Archbishop stating that his medical advisers had compelled him to cancel all his engagements for the month of June in order to take a complete rest away from London so that his health might be equal to the exacting duties of the Lambeth Conference, and adding, "It is particularly trying for me to be obliged to be absent on this occasion when so many of the Bishops from overseas will be present. But I dare not, even for an occasion so special, set aside the orders which I have promised to obey. It is a most real and deep disappointment."

The Lord Mayor, concluding, remarked that all the clergy and laity of the Church, he felt sure, would wish the Archbishop a speedy and complete recovery and that he would be able to preside at the Lambeth Conference with his wonderful ability and tact.

The ARCHBISHOP of YORK, replying, said that the problems of the Church had the characteristic not always appreciated that experiment in the sense in which scientists used the word was not possible. They could but try some method of dealing with the matters presented to them and then if the result was not what they anticipated determine by later action that they would henceforth do it in another way. Whatever was done entered at once into the permanent record of history and they could not call it back if they would. But that was not reason for inaction when the time called for action, for the consequences of inactivity were quite as great as the consequences of action.

The BISHOP of LONDON proposed the toast "Our Brethren Overseas," and the ARCHBISHOP of CAPE TOWN and the ARCHBISHOP of NEW ZEALAND replied.

OBITUARY

MR. W. H. BRISTOL

The death is announced in a Reuter telegram from Newhaven, Connecticut, of Mr. William Henry Bristol, the mathematician and inventor, at the age of 70. He had a large share in the development of the "talkie" film.

The son of Benjamin Hiel Bristol, he was born at Waterbury, Connecticut, on July 5, 1859. He organized in 1882 the manual training department of the Working Man's School in New York, and taught there till 1886. During this period he studied at the Stevens Institute of Technology at Hoboken, where he became successively instructor in mathematics, assistant professor, and professor from 1899 to 1906.

Professor Bristol organized in 1889 the Bristol Company for manufacturing his own inventions, which included numerous recording instruments for pressure, temperature, and electricity, steel belt lacing, sound amplifying, and talking motion picture apparatus. He was awarded the John Scott legacy medal of the Franklin Institute, Philadelphia, and medals at various exhibitions—Chicago in 1893, Paris in 1900, St. Louis in 1904, and a grand prize at Panama, Philippine Islands, in 1915. He was a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the American Institution of Electrical Engineers, the American Electro-chemical Society, and the Society of Motion Picture Engineers.

MR. ALEXANDER RITTICH

Mr. Alexander Rittich, who died at the age of 60 in a London nursing home on June 15, was an outstanding personality among the leading statesmen of the last years of Imperial Russia.

Educated in the Lyceum of the Emperor Alexander I. at Tsarskoie Selo, he spent his whole life in serving the interests of the Russian peasantry, first in the Zemsky Department of the Ministry of the Interior and then, for a time, in charge of Far Eastern colonization, under the Emigration Department of the same Ministry, with headquarters at Vladivostok. Rittich's devotion to his work, and his great energy, enabled him to acquire first-hand knowledge of the condition and needs of the Russian peasants just at the time when the agrarian crisis in Russia reached its climax. He embodied the results of his studies of peasant farming in a book on "The Peasant's Bondage to the Commune and the *Mir*," in which he pointed to the insurmountable obstacles put in the way of peasant progress by communal tenure and open-field cultivation, and, advocating the necessity of the enclosure of peasant holdings, traced the main outline of the policy which, later on, became the principal plank of the programme of agrarian reforms inaugurated by Stolypin in 1906.

Public opinion was as yet unprepared for so drastic a change, but Rittich's views attracted the attention of Witte. The latter, in 1902, on being appointed President of the Special Committee on the Needs of the Agricultural Industry, made Rittich, then just over 30, general secretary of this very important body. In this capacity he distinguished himself greatly, and in 1905, during the reconstruction of the Ministry of Agriculture, he was appointed Director of the Department of State Domains and entrusted with the control of the work of the newly-established Central Land Settlement Committee, upon which, in the following years, with the advent of Stolypin to power, fell the principal brunt of Russia's agrarian reorganization. During the decade from 1907 to 1916, when a great transformation had been going on in peasant farming, the country owed much to Rittich's energy. Practically every piece of legislation and every circular in connexion with the enclosure of peasant holdings was personally drafted by him, while he constantly kept in touch with the work on the spot by visiting the operations in progress and being always accessible to the humblest of his collaborators, many of whom, to the day of his death in exile, he numbered among his personal friends. He had the mortification of seeing his life's work destroyed by the Revolution; but at the time, though little noticed and appreciated outside Russia, and opposed by large sections of the Russian *intelligentsia* of the Left, the enclosure movement, of which he was the protagonist, swept the country and earned for him, in the Duma, the support of practically every peasant member, irrespective of political creed and party allegiance. The outstanding success of the policy of peasant enclosures, in raising the prosperity of the Russian countryside, had also attracted the attention and earned the praise of most leading German agrarian authorities, such as Professor Max Sering, Professor Auhagen, Dr. Preyer, and many others, who had made an extensive study of the movement in Russia.

In 1912, Rittich was appointed Deputy Minister of Agriculture, but remained responsible for land-settlement operations. In November, 1916, he became the last Minister of Agriculture of the Imperial Russian Government, and in this capacity had to cope with the problem of ensuring the food supply of the Army and the population—a task almost superhuman, thrust upon him out of confidence in his great energy and efficiency as an administrator. Then came the Revolution, and, after imprisonment and many trials, his final escape to London.

CAPTAIN E. D. MAUDE, R.N.

Captain Eustace Maude, late R.N., died on June 12 at Victoria, British Columbia, at the age of 82.

The second son of Colonel Sir George Maude, sometime Crown Equerry to Queen Victoria, who was a grandson of the first Viscount Hawarden, Eustace Downman Maude was educated at Wellington College. He entered the Royal Navy as a cadet in the sixties, and saw service in various parts of the world. As sub-lieutenant of the Rinaldo, he did good work against pirates in the Straits of Malacca. He was made a lieutenant in 1871, and served from 1872 in the Doris, screw frigate in the Detached Squadron. From August, 1874, he was second-in-command of the Swallow, gun-vessel, on the North America and West Indies Station. Two years later he joined the Royal yacht Victoria and Albert, the paddle-wheel predecessor of the present ship of that name, and was promoted to Commander from her in September, 1878. As such, he served in the Penelope, flagship of the late Duke of Edinburgh and coastguardship at Harwich; and the battleship Temeraire, Captain Henry F. Nicholson, in the Mediterranean.

After retiring from the Service in 1884, he went out to British Columbia, where he had lived ever since. A keen yachtsman, he had sailed many thousands of miles in small craft, and made many venturesome journeys, some entirely single-handed. His greatest enterprise was undertaken in 1925, at the age of 77, when he set out from Victoria, British Columbia, to sail to England alone in a 25ft. ketch the Half Moon. Nothing was heard of him for 45 days, when he was seen from a liner. Three weeks later he cabled from Santa Barbara to say that he was returning. His son, Captain George Maude, went in search of him, and found him asleep in his boat, in which he had spent 101 days alone. Except for stiffness of the knees he was in fairly good health. The boom of his sail had struck him on the head on one occasion and rendered him unconscious for five hours, and he was then unable to navigate the ship for three weeks, which led to his decision to turn back, as he was also suffering from sun blindness and had but little fresh water left. He had covered about 4,000 miles.

In the late War Captain Maude, at the age of 66, enlisted as a private, and, having received a commission, served oversea. His only son, George, who served in the War, is in the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, and his two surviving daughters are married to naval officers.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL STRONG

Lieutenant-Colonel Addington Dawsonne Strong, D.S.O., late Hodson's Horse, I.A., died on Tuesday after an operation at the age of 55.

The son of the late Major-General D. M. Strong, C.B., he was educated at Bedford Grammar School, and entered the Army in 1895. In 1896 he was posted to the Indian Staff Corps, and was promoted major in the 10th (Duke of Cambridge's Own) Lancers, Hodson's Horse, in 1913. He served on the North-West Frontier in 1897-98, receiving the medal and clasp, and in the Great War he was attached to the Jodhpur Imperial Service Lancers in France from September, 1914, to April, 1918. He was awarded the D.S.O. in 1916 for a counter-attack on German trenches at Festubert. Later he served in Mesopotamia and in the Afghan operations, being mentioned in dispatches three times. Colonel Strong had been awarded the Royal Humane Society's medal. He married in 1915 Eleanor Constance, daughter of Mr. C. S. Colvin, C.S.I., and had two daughters.

The funeral will be at Haslemere to-morrow at 11.45.

Letters to the Editor

SURGERY IN ROAD ACCIDENTS

THE THOMAS SPLINT

EXPERIENCES OF THE WAR

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—May I be allowed to support Major Eden Paget in his scheme to establish a sound orthopaedic side to the ambulance service under his charge? His scheme is

to minimise the consequences of road accidents by establishing a network of motor-ambulances over the country, training thousands in the principles of first aid, and setting up boxes of first-aid equipment and huts for the treatment of the injured by the roadside. (*The Times*, May 28.)

The scheme is conceived on War experience of the brilliant success of the military orthopaedic department created in 1916.

My disappointment was keen when, some years ago, on the occasion of an ambulance being presented to the Cardigan War Memorial Hospital, we were informed that we were not able to have the Thomas splint equipment, which is absolutely essential for safe transport, because the supply from War service stores had already been exhausted. Since then a President of the Royal College of Surgeons, the late Sir Anthony Bowlby, has been successful in his endeavour to ensure that ambulances should be supplied with Thomas knee splint equipment. No one, from unrivalled experience in ambulance transport, if I may say it, knows better than Major Paget how essential to the proper equipment of an ambulance service in these days of shocking road accidents is the Thomas splint.

I confess I was dismayed when reading in your issue of June 10 a letter signed "M.D." by a temperary captain in the R.A.M.C., who served not only during but a year before the establishment of the military orthopaedic department, not because it betrays colossal professional ignorance, but because I fear that some of the public may be misled. "M.D." writes:—"No surgeon would venture to apply such a splint until after an X-ray examination and the setting of the fracture under an anaesthetic." Rubbish to the practical clinician.

I had the opportunity and privilege on St. David's Day, 1916, to suggest that a department carrying out the late H. O. Thomas's principles and practice would be of great service to the wounded. This idea met the forceful advocacy of Lord Moynihan, and the most brilliant pupil of the inventor of the celebrated splint was placed in charge by the practical visionary, Sir Alfred Keogh. The wonderful achievements are known to all but asses. Thomas died before the discovery of X-rays, and the results of his treatment have not been excelled to this day.

I had a personal experience of the needs indicated in Major Paget's scheme. I was knocked down by a motor-car and had a nasty broken leg into the knee joint. I was picked up and carried, like a bundle of clothes, without splints, to an hotel, conscious of every jolt due to maltreatment, but unable to protest on account of shock. The following day an X-ray photograph was prescribed, but was not taken until my leg was properly splinted and the deformity corrected. This put an end to muscular spasms, which, before the advent of Thomas's splint in the War, killed hundreds of sufferers.

The Thomas splint was properly put on by trained men in the R.A.M.C. during the War, and there is no reason why trained men, on the lines suggested by Major Paget, should not be equally successful under the less strenuous conditions of peace.

I am, Sir, yours faithfully,
JOHN LYNN-THOMAS, Col. A.M.S.
Llwyndyrys, Llechryd, Cardiganshire, June 18.

RETAIL PRICE OF COAL

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—I see that Mr. William Straker is reported as having revived at the Coal Trade Luncheon Club in London the old story that coal is being sold in London retail at from 50s. to 55s. a ton, whereas the pithead price is only about 13s. 6d. per ton. Now, in point of fact, Mr. Straker was careful to insert the word "best" when referring to the retail price of coal, and the word "average" in respect of the pithead price. Nevertheless, the impression goes abroad that it is the same coal in each case.

It should be pointed out in this connexion that the output of every colliery contains a large percentage of "small" or "slack," perhaps from 20 per cent. to 40 per cent. This coal is sold at very low prices, from 2s. to 8s. or 10s. per ton. Again, the large coal is by no means all of the quality described as "best." Collieries, therefore, require a much higher price for "best" coal selected for the London market. They have to charge from 25s. to 30s. per ton for this small proportion of their output if they are to obtain the average price of 13s. 6d. per ton at the pit for the whole of their production. It will be seen, therefore, that the London merchant does not obtain an unfair price for his coal when the railway charges of 12s. or 13s. per ton are added to the above figures.

Mr. Straker calls for an inquiry into the costs of distribution. Perhaps he forgets the investigation conducted by the Samuel Commission in 1925, in the Appendix to whose report the above-mentioned costs are analysed down to the last halfpenny per ton. As a result of that investigation the accountant-assessor reported that the distribution costs of the six London merchants whose figures were examined were correct in every detail.

In conclusion, may I emphasize the points that in comparing retail with pithead prices it is essential that the same quality of coal should be taken in each case; that the quotations should be taken from some authoritative source; and that railway transport charges should not be forgotten?

Yours faithfully,
GEORGE GENTRY.
The Coal Merchants' Federation of Great Britain, 7, Victoria-street, S.W.1, June 17.

ROAD DRESSINGS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—The complaints which you are receiving and which appear so frequently in the Press at this season about the methods of tarring adopted in certain districts are matters of concern shared not only by the public but by this association.

May we submit that such complaints are due not so much to the use of unduly large chippings as to the manner in which the work is carried out? The object of a road dressing is to lay a film of "binder," which will not only waterproof the road but will hold the chippings, which are to act as a veneer of new stone, to the road. Neither should be in excess of what is sufficient, or the binder will "fat-up" to the surface under the influence of traffic and warm weather, and the stones become loose, forming a bituminous instead of an armoured stone surface to the road.

Incidentally, it is imperative that the chippings be compressed into the binder with a suitable roller, and the neglect of this precaution is frequently the cause of these complaints. The quantity of the binder should also be relative to the size of the chippings. Both these factors are better controlled by using a cold rather than a hot application.

Yours faithfully,
L. S. CADIC, Secretary.
Road Emulsion and Cold Bituminous Roads Association, 66, Victoria-street, S.W.1, June 18.

THE SCARCITY OF SAVINGS

MR. SNOWDEN'S TWO VOICES

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—Mr. J. A. Murray Macdonald, in a very interesting letter explains our difficulty, but without quoting any figures. May I be allowed to illustrate the position, using the words of Mr. Snowden when out of office, in the same way as your correspondent "Haud Immemor," who showed that when a Conservative Government was in office Mr. Snowden was all against increased taxation on account of the harm it would do, that our national taxation, the greater part of which is unremunerative, is double that of any of the other countries who are our formidable trade competitors, that drastic action is necessary to enforce national economy, &c., while he is now trying to persuade us, as a Socialist Chancellor of the Exchequer, that his taxation, which is increased for the same objects and has precisely the same effects as when used by the Conservatives, is now beneficial. Here is the quotation to which I particularly refer:—

"Lack of savings was greatly hindering the trade recovery of Britain. It meant dearer money, and, therefore, the putting up of national and local taxation. Trade revival was vitally dependent upon capital saving. . . . Before the War we were saving about £400,000,000 a year. To-day we were certainly saving no more, whereas, with the change in the value of money, we should be saving at least £750,000,000."

Now, this is as true to-day as when Mr. Snowden spoke the words in October, 1927, and on this basis in three years we are short of over £1,000,000,000 savings. The danger of the situation cannot be exaggerated. While it is clearly impossible for any Government—and least of all for a Socialist Government—so to cut down taxation as to enable savings to be made on a pre-War scale, the time has certainly come when we must start to improve our post-War annual deficit of savings, instead of cutting them down still further and causing more unemployment.

The trend of the present Socialist (and Liberal) policy seems to be to lump all unemployment as a normal social service, on the ground that social services add to the consuming power of the people and so lead to greater production and more employment. This argument is a very excellent one if it is good that everybody shall spend everything they have got without any provision for the future! But it is ridiculous to say the more people consume the more they will produce. The trouble is that they will consume more if it is provided without specific obligation to produce more. That is all that is happening, and it eats up savings.

To-day we have 1,750,000 unemployed. Let us not further reduce the necessary savings in order to increase spending—it can only increase our difficulties and result in more unemployment.

Yours, &c.,
MARCUS SAMUEL.
40, Mincing-lane, E.C.3, June 17.

THE REFERENDUM

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—May I appeal to Conservatives in the South of England, especially London and the home counties, who are pressing for the abandonment of the Referendum, to pause and reflect on the consequences of their action.

Let them face the facts quite frankly. The policy of the Referendum was originally suggested by Lord Beaverbrook as a means of securing cooperation and unity between the Conservative Party and the United Empire Party, which he and Lord Rothermere had formed. Mr. Baldwin, with the approval of his colleagues, accepted that policy for the sake of establishing unity. His action was applauded by Conservatives throughout the country. Indeed, if he had rejected the proposal submitted by Lord Beaverbrook, the very first to have condemned him would have been those who are blaming him for not abandoning the policy which was then agreed upon. Since Mr. Baldwin's speech at the Hotel Cecil Lord Beaverbrook has gone back on the agreement, but there is nobody who knows Mr. Baldwin who does not realize that it would be impossible for him to throw overboard a policy which he had formally adopted on behalf of the party as a means of removing great Imperial issues from the arena of party politics. We are thus faced with these possibilities:—

(1) The abandonment of the Referendum;
(2) The adoption of a full-fledged food tax policy at the next election;
And (3) as a necessary corollary, the replacement of Mr. Baldwin by some unknown leader.

I have no hesitation in saying that such a development in the political situation would be disastrous to Conservative prospects in Yorkshire and the northern counties. Mr. Baldwin still commands a respect in the North which no other leader could hope to equal. Moreover, the growing feeling in support of safeguarding would receive a set back if the issue were complicated by the introduction of the food tax question on a vague and indefinite basis. As Mr. Baldwin has said, the people of this country ought not to be asked to vote blindly upon this issue. They ought to be informed in advance of the advantages which the Empire can offer, and the full meaning and extent of any compensating benefits which we may offer to the Dominions. That is a straightforward policy which the workers in the North can understand and appreciate, but if the Referendum is scrapped I am convinced that the cause of safeguarding will receive a disastrous setback, and that the Conservative Party, which must depend at the next election very largely for its success on recapturing a large number of seats in northern industrial centres, will fail to obtain a majority.

Mr. O'Connor's remarkable victory at Nottingham has proved that Mr. Baldwin has given us a first-rate fighting policy on which the party can advance to victory. The only thing that is required is loyalty and unity. Is it too much to ask those Conservatives in the South, whose judgment is unduly influenced by the constant nagging in the popular Press, to take a broader and wider view and to stand united on the leader's policy?

Yours faithfully,
JAMES L. WOOD, Chairman, North Bradford Conservative Association.
Avenel House, Allerton, Bradford, June 17.

IMPERIAL TRADE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—One who is closely identified with the publicity campaign of the Empire Marketing Board has given expression to criticism of voluntary "Buy British" cooperative campaigns, which was reported in your issue of June 11, and of which, perhaps, the most comprehensive and the most successful is that conducted by the British motor industry.

If the good will of British productive industry is desired in efforts to obtain a wider home market for Empire produce, it may be wiser for the Empire Marketing Board to refrain from gratuitous and ill-advised comments upon voluntary cooperative effort, and rather to ask for manufacturers to become the channel of Empire publicity in bringing home to their workpeople the value of reciprocal Empire trade.

The motor industry has cooperated with the Empire Marketing Board probably to a greater extent than any other trade, and has used its oversea organization to show to the people of our Dominions and Colonies what we at home are trying to do for them. It is thus all the more surprising to read that the apparent answer of the Board or its adviser is criticism of home cooperative effort instead of a request for the benefit of experience and a hope of greater co-ordination.

I am, Sir, yours faithfully,
A. HACKING.
The Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders, 83, Pall Mall, S.W.1.

ESTATE DUTY

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—It would appear that the Chancellor of the Exchequer is not prepared to give any quarter in his attacks on thrifty commercial concerns.

Clauses 29 to 33 of the Finance Bill make it clear that so long as Mr. Snowden's shaft reaches the estate of the naughty crow who has protected his interests by turning himself into a one-man company, the heirs of the unhappy pigeon who has accumulated reserves for his company in good times in order to keep things going when things are bad must suffer too.

It is time that a halt was called in this campaign against the concern which tries to protect the interests of those whom it employs, as well as its own interests, by careful finance. If effective opposition is to be offered to this policy of spoliation, steps should be taken by the Opposition to organize this at once. These deceitfully innocent looking clauses should not be allowed to slip through unchallenged.

Yours faithfully,
H. P. BLUNT.
Derby Cottage, Freshfield, Lancs.

MOTORING IN SPAIN

THE STORY OF AN ACCIDENT

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—Some few weeks ago there appeared in your columns a letter from a gentleman who had been touring in Spain, relating the consequences of a motor accident in which some French ladies had been involved. I too have just returned from a tour in Spain during which I had the misfortune to be involved in an accident, fortunately not serious; but the manner in which I was treated by the local authorities is worth telling.

I was travelling from Murcia to Almeria with my wife and a friend when the accident happened and we picked the man up and placed him in the car to take him to the doctor at the village of Librilla. The foreman of the gang to which the man belonged accompanied us, and no sooner had we arrived than the whole village invaded the doctor's house and surgery, but although none of us could speak Spanish there was no hostility displayed towards us. Two "guardia civils" appeared on the scene, and, after the doctor had found that the man had no further injuries than a few bruises and abrasions caused by his falling on the road, we adjourned to the "ayuntamente." The "guardia civils" made me understand on the way that the Queen of Spain was English and that they were very friendly towards the British. As I could not make my statement in Spanish of how the accident occurred, one of the local authorities telephoned to the town of Totana, some 35 kilometres distant, where he thought an interpreter could be found, as the nearest British Vice-Consul was some 200 kilometres distant. It was arranged that someone should accompany us, and on arrival at Totana we found a local British resident, a retired medical man, who very kindly accompanied us to the "ayuntamente."

There the Judge's first words to him were: "Please tell this gentleman he has no need to be alarmed."

As I did not feel that I had been to blame for the accident, I was not unduly worried, except that I had never before had an accident in which a fellow creature had been injured, even slightly; but a stranger in a foreign land, the situation might have been unpleasant, and the Judge's act was kindly. He expressed regret that he was obliged to fulfil the formalities prescribed by law, and proceeded to the taking down of my declaration. In the meantime Dr. — (I have not asked permission to give his name) asked the three of us to lunch with him as our journey had been delayed. When my declaration had been signed, the Judge turned to Dr. — and said: "I regret that I am obliged to pass sentence on this gentleman, but it shall be a light one. He must accept your invitation to lunch, visit your orange grove, and afterwards see the glorious country in the mountains behind this city."

I regret that I should have been the means of inflicting an injury on anyone, however innocent a means, however slight an injury, but it certainly gave me the opportunity of experiencing how courteous and charming the Spanish people could be. During the whole of the short three weeks we spent in Spain, everywhere we met with the same smiling welcome and ready service. We stayed in big cities and smaller ones, and found cleanliness and quite good food in all the hotels. In all the towns on the east coast and in the south the public gardens are a feast for the eyes, not to speak of the artistic treasures to be seen everywhere. Most of the main roads were in first-class order, and in general the 2,000 odd miles we covered were done very comfortably. We shall certainly return to Spain, and it would be difficult to imagine a pleasanter holiday than a tour in that country in the spring.

We could not, unfortunately, accept Dr. —'s kind invitation, as we had to get on to Almeria that night, but we visited his house and orange grove and had the pleasure of meeting his charming Spanish wife. He helped us in a difficult situation, and we have cause to be very grateful to him. He even went so far as to suggest that he meet the doctor's expenses and the fees of the Court on my behalf, and that I should reimburse him on my return home, as the amount could not be determined. A Good Samaritan indeed!

I am, Sir, yours truly,
E. JEQUIER.
June 12.

A CENSUS OF RELIGION

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—May I be allowed to express my support of the suggestion which the Anglican Diocesan Conference of the Oxford clergy embodied in a resolution, reported in your issue of June 13, asking that the next census should include a religious column in which people *might*—not *must*—record their adhesion to a religious denomination?

The present attitude of the nation towards organized Christianity has, of late, been a topic frequently discussed in the Press, but no authentic information is available as to the actual proportion of the population which has vital connexion with any Church. A book published in 1918 under the title "The Army and Religion," summarizing the opinions of several hundred capable observers of the mind of "the nation in arms," states that only some 11½ per cent. Englishmen, and 20 per cent. Scotsmen had any vital relation to any religious denomination. What is the condition of things to-day? Is it better or worse? Reliable information in the form of official statistics would be not merely of interest, but of real value, in view of the religious problem in connexion with the education question and the question of Disestablishment, should it arise in the next 10 years.

It would be foolish to overestimate the significance of the statement made a few months ago by Mr. Joad that two of his classes, on being questioned, declared themselves to be 100 per cent. atheist; but the fact, even if it be abnormal, should not be entirely overlooked. Official statistics through the census would let us know where England stands to-day with regard to organized Christianity, and it is unlikely that anyone who really does belong to a religious denomination would object to state the fact and name the denomination on a census paper.

Yours faithfully,
FRANCIS WOODLOCK, S.J.
Farm-street Church, June 13.

ALEXANDRA DAY

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—Will you, once more, allow me to appeal through your columns for Alexandra Day, which takes place on Tuesday, June 24?

As you are aware, the hospitals suffer considerable loss, in view of the fact that certain channels through which they usually obtain large sums of money have been closed. In the circumstances, my executive committee are extremely anxious to increase the collection of last year, which amounted to £59,000 in Greater London. It is, I think, well known that Alexandra Day is a double charity, as all the roses are made by crippled girls. The cost of the roses sold in London last year amounted to £4,520. We need more sellers of roses in various parts. Owing to the date of Alexandra Day being so late in the month, many of our usual helpers are away on holiday.

A shop has been opened at 33, Knightsbridge, for the sale of motor garlands. It is hoped that many owners will buy these to decorate their cars, as this adds so much to the festive appearance of the day. The loan of motor-cars is also very helpful. All communications should be sent to headquarters, to Miss C. May Beeman, C.B.E., 33, The Grove, The Boltons, S.W.10.

Yours truly,
C. MAY BEEMAN.

MUTTON PIES

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—Will you allow a little of your valuable space to an old man desirous of reviving a lost art?

In my youth a common and excellent dish was little mutton pies. Lewis Carroll sang of them—

And these I do not sell for gold or coin of silver hue.
But for one copper halfpenny, and that will purchase two.

And just before my time the pieman was a familiar figure in the London streets. The last time I tasted these pies was at a shoot in Suffolk in 1913, but the recipe for making them I cannot discover anywhere, and it seems that the only possibility of reviving this lost dish is by an appeal to *The Times*.

The pies in question were upright, of the size and shape of castle puddings, and the pastry was of the plainest, the interior being composed, as I understood, of fat mutton, onion and black pepper. Hot or cold they were delicious. In these hard times they should again attain popularity, and a proper study of their preparation might enable even the English wayside hotel to supply something eatable at a reasonable price.

Perhaps one of your readers may be able to furnish the recipe.

Your obedient servant,
SENEX.

Points from Letters

TAXATION AND SAVINGS

The letter of Mr. Murray Macdonald on unemployment I think hits the nail on the head, but I do not think he carries his argument to its logical conclusion. Put shortly, the things necessary are fixed capital, labour, and floating capital, floating capital, of course, being provided by the savings to which Mr. Macdonald refers. Now, one way in which those savings can be augmented is by reduction in taxation. Adam Smith said (I quote from memory):—"Little else is necessary to raise a country from the lowest degree of barbarism to the highest degree of prosperity but peace, easy taxes, and a tolerable administration of justice."—Mr. H. LITTLEJOHN, Hirstleigh, Hendon-lane, Finchley, N.3.

TOWNSMEN AND THE FARMERS

Urban voters must have the true state of agriculture put before them. When they go to the agricultural shows and see the fine horses, cattle, sheep and pigs they say, "How ridiculous to talk of the farmers' distress!" imagining that the splendid animals belong to farmers. The ordinary farmer cannot afford to exhibit. These animals belong mostly to gentlemen who have been successful in trade and farm and exhibit only as a hobby. Some years ago I heard a well-known agriculturist, a member of both the R.A.S.E. and the Oxfordshire A.S., say, "I am afraid that these shows do a certain amount of harm, as they give the townspeople a false impression of the prosperity of the farmers."—Mr. DOUGLAS VANDERSTEGEN, Cane End House, Oxon.

UNPREPAREDNESS FOR WAR

This nation is essentially a peace-loving nation. The great majority of the English people are still followers, to the best of their ability, of the Prince of Peace. Men live by principle, and God forbid that we should live by any other principle than that, for have we not seen what the sabre-rattling principle leads to? But we are not logical, and we do not see and shall never see what our energy, restlessness, and enterprise lead to—that we must occasionally, but most inevitably, in spite of our principles, go with Caesar into Gaul.—Mr. C. A. WEEKES, 61, Lincoln's Inn-fields, W.C.2.

BUILDING LAWS

For builders new materials and methods of construction are rigidly proscribed by law, and the manufacture of standardized materials is impeded by the fact that the same regulations do not apply all over the country, but vary in each locality. Most of us live and work in buildings that are obsolete in design, construction, and equipment. With such a potential demand, buildings should be manufactured like any other commodity, and their erection should not be, as it is at present, an enterprise undertaken in the case of necessity only. But owing to the restrictions of the building laws the same methods of technical research into new and less expensive methods cannot be applied as in other manufactures.—Mr. FRANK SCARLETT, 43, Bedford-row, W.C.1.

LUGGAGE IN ITALY

Registered luggage need not be corded in Italy unless either the locks are defective or insufficient in number to prevent a hand from being inserted between the lid and the case. Every suitcase or cabin trunk should have two locks in good condition. I travel a good deal in Italy and have no trouble whatever with registered luggage. I find the railway officials on all occasions most helpful and polite.—ADMIRAL SIR REGINALD BACON, Braishfield Lodge, near Romsey, Hants.

TREES IN DOMESDAY BOOK

I venture to question Sir Charles Strachey's observation that no trees are mentioned in Domesday Book. I still have a curiously persistent belief to the contrary; though I can speak only from an old woman's memory. There is an oak tree in the parish of Tilford, near Farnham, Surrey, which is said to have formed the extreme boundary of the property of the Bishops of Winchester to the south of Farnham. This property was granted to St. Swithun by King Ethelbald, and I have always understood that the tree was mentioned in the Domesday Book under the name of "Kinge Hoc."—DOROTHEA GORE BROWNE, Kingsgate-street, Winchester.

TOO LITTLE SPENDING

Mr. E. Glassbrook Edwards states there is "too little spending." I think he is right. Another way of putting this thesis is to say there is no such thing as over-production, but plenty of under-consumption. The potential buying power of the world is practically limitless. If, as is the prevailing tendency, people voluntarily reduce their earning effort, then in the aggregate they will be able to afford still less. Collectively we earn less to-day than a year ago. Hence less consumption. Why fog the question by calling it over-production?—Mr. FREDERICK LEVER, 4, Holland-Villas-road, W.14.

THAT WONDERFUL CATCH

Yes, poor "G. F." died at a hotel at Basingstoke, but he was, alas! only 29, not 36. "W. G." never quite got over the blow.—Mr. G. M. BUTTERWORTH, Westward Ho.

ROAD COVERINGS

Mr. Larkworthy complains that on the Portsmouth road the very system of surface dressing that this committee has been advocating for two or three years is being employed. I would point out that the ultimate result of using sand or small chippings for "blinding" is that the surface soon becomes smooth and polishes under traffic, because the small particles become completely immersed in the tar or other matrix used. The larger the chippings the less is this dangerous condition likely to arise. It is only after conferring with a large number of highway officials that this committee is convinced that the way to safety lies in the use of the large-sized grit which, while proving temporarily unpleasant until the rolling-in process has been completed by traffic, goes a very long way towards eliminating the danger of a skid.—Mr. CECIL G. ANGLISS, Chairman, Slippery Roads Committee, National Horse Association, Peterborough.

"THE HARRIS FAMILY"

Your correspondent's family is not the only one which American enterprise seeks to honour. In identical terms I, as member of the Perkins family, have received a similar invitation. Unless the Smiths, Browns, Joneses, and Robinsons have received similar offers, they may feel that they have been ignored.—Mr. W. FRANK PERKINS, Boldre.

RAIN IN THE MIDLANDS

Your Weather Correspondent mentions that moderately heavy storms occurred in the Midlands on Saturday and that half an inch of rain fell at Birmingham. In Hinckley, Leicestershire, the rainfall associated with a thunderstorm amounted to 1.080in. This storm began at 7.30 p.m. on Friday and lasted until 7.30 a.m. Saturday (G.M.T.). The actual thunder and lightning were but slight—the nearest flash being 3½ miles west of Hinckley—and lasted but an hour. The torrential rain was the aftermath of the thunderstorm.—Mr. E. H. SALTER, The Castle-street Pharmacy, Hinckley, Leicestershire.

CHRISTIANITY WITHOUT CREEDS

Seeing that the Apostolic Creed from the West, and the Nicene from the East, were not known till at least the third century after the greatest triumphs of the Christian Faith—and that amid the fiercest challenge—surely Mr. Froese's statement that the Christian "religion" without creeds would be "but vague and nebulous" requires some drastic revision.—The REV. A. E. CLARKE, Crescent Wood House, Sydenham-hill, S.E.26.

WHITE MOLES

Miss Fair's letter referring to white moles is of interest chiefly as showing that they have been caught or seen in places so far apart as Grasmere in Westmorland, Eskdale in Cumberland, and Bramshaw in the New Forest. To her they seem "very rare"; they are rare, but not so rare as white blackbirds. An old friend of mine used to catch them occasionally on my land at Aberford in Yorkshire, and once caught quite a family of them, father, mother, and three young ones, in one day. If anyone wishes to see a white mole to-day, he had better look into some of our local museums in country towns, to say nothing of South Kensington.—The REV. A. L. BARNES-LAWRENCE, Holmwood Lodge, Frome.

WEEDS

A propos the delightful article on "Weeds" in a recent issue of your paper, the following epigram of Victor Hugo may be of interest:—"Il n'y a ni de mauvaises herbes ni de mauvais hommes: il n'y a que de mauvais cultivateurs."—Mr. L. R. FURNEAUX.

ETON MISSION JUBILEE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—Will you allow me space in which to tell all friends of the Eton Mission, and especially all who have subscribed to the restoration of the church, that there will be a service at 5 o'clock on Saturday next at which the new work will be dedicated by our first missioner, the Archbishop of Cape Town? Any of them who are able to attend will be most heartily welcome.

Your obedient servant,
C. A. ALINGTON, Head Master.
The Cloisters, Eton College, Windsor, June 18.

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Pairs of Harness Horses, over 15.2 h'ds.
Hunter Mares or Geldings, carrying 12 to 14 stones.
Display by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.
Jumping over Course, Civilians.

This Evening's Programme, 7.30 p.m.
Single Trade Turnouts.
Ponies, not exceeding 14 hands.
Single Harness Horses, over 15 hands.
Hacks, not exceeding 15 hands.
Argentine Challenge Cup, Novice Teams.
Display by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.
Jumping over Course.

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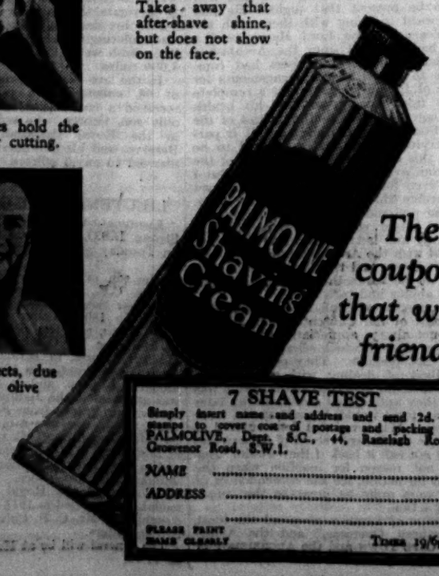
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CHURCH ASSEMBLY

THE EXERCISE OF PATRONAGE

THREE MEASURES

The Summer Session of the Church Assembly was continued yesterday at the Church House, Westminster. The Archbishop of York (Dr. Temple), presided.

The Assembly considered for revision the Benefices (Diocesan Boards of Patronage) Measure. The object of the Measure is to establish in every diocese a Diocesan Board of Patronage consisting of:—

(1) The Bishop of the diocese, who shall be chairman of the Board.
(2) Two clerks in holy orders (neither of whom shall be an archdeacon) holding benefices in the diocese or the bishop's license under seal appointed by the Chamber of Clergy of the Diocesan Conference;
(3) Four laymen appointed by the Chamber of Laity of the Diocesan Conference; and
(4) For the purpose of transacting any business relating to a particular benefice, the archdeacon and rural dean in whose archdeaconry and rural deanery respectively such benefice is situate.

The DEAN of WESTMINSTER, in moving that the Measure be considered for revision, said that the members in charge felt very strongly that this matter had been far too long delayed. He was perfectly certain that the opinion of Churchmen generally in the country was considerably ahead of the Assembly on this question.

THE CHURCH COUNCIL

PREBENDARY J. P. BAKER (Liverpool) moved an amendment providing that there should be added to the board one layman nominated by the parochial church council of the particular parish concerned.

Mr. H. J. GUEST (Birmingham), in seconding, said that the House of Laity felt that the changes made in the Patronage Measure had all been to the detriment of the lay element. The division of the Measure had left out the important element of the representation of the parish.

Mr. J. H. HIGGINSON (Southwark) asked why the laity of the parish should not have the means of finding out before the appointment was made if the candidate for the living was a bad candidate. If the candidate was a good candidate and irreproachable, then why should any objections be raised to this?

The BISHOP of ELY (Dr. White-Thomson), opposing the amendment on behalf of the members in charge, said the opinion of the Church was strongly opposed to it. For the last 10 years he had done everything he possibly could, publicly and privately, for the rights of the laity. Ever since the question of the local representation had been introduced it had been the principal bone of contention which had hindered the carrying out of the desired reform in patronage.

PREBENDARY RANDOLPH (Bath and Wells) said there was a tremendous feeling among the clergy against the admission of a parishioner for the particular purpose of electing a particular clerk to a particular living, for the simple reason that they could not secure privacy and could not secure that name from being canvassed up and down the country.

LADY BATES (Chester) asked why should the majority of the laity be sacrificed simply to accommodate the majority of the clergy? Surely there should be a certain amount of give and take in this matter. She felt that a layman had every right to be trusted as much as the clergy themselves.

The BISHOP of RIPON (Dr. E. A. Burroughs) appealed to Prebendary Baker to withdraw his amendment. If the amendment was pressed to a division it seemed pretty clear that that division would call attention to and perhaps extend the mutual suspicion between the clergy and the laity.

LORD HUGH CECIL, M.P., pointed out that there were great objections against allowing the parishes to appoint an incumbent. One was that they were very apt to prefer the services of a curate with whom they were familiar to any other candidate, perhaps very injudiciously.

The amendment was negatived, and the revision stage concluded. It was decided to postpone final approval till to-day.

RIGHTS OF PRESENTATION

The Assembly then considered for revision the Benefices (Exercise of Rights of Presentation) Measure, which seeks to regularize the exercise of rights of presentation to benefices. The discussion was mainly on the following subsections of Clause 3:—

The patron shall be entitled to exercise his right of presentation after conferring with and with the consent of the churchwardens acting as the representatives of the Parochial Church Council:

Alternatively the patron shall be entitled to exercise his right of presentation after obtaining the approval of the Bishop of the clerk presented as being suitable for the duties attaching to the cure of souls in the particular benefice concerned.

LORD WOLMER, M.P., said they could not get everything they wanted. They had got to make a compromise, and a compromise which would satisfy the parishioners, the patron, the clerk, and the Bishop. They had to have a compromise which would please the House of Laity, the House of Clergy, the House of Bishops, the House of Commons, and the House of Lords. And the Assembly would realize that the House of Lords was largely composed of patrons. They believed that all that was needed in patronage reform would be secured if they could appeal to the patron to get either the consent of the parish or of the Bishop to his appointment.

COLONEL OLDHAM (Lichfield) moved an amendment omitting the words "Alternatively the patron shall" and inserting the following: "If the patron, after conferring with the churchwardens, shall have failed to obtain their consent, he shall." He was persuaded, he said, that there was possibility under the Measure of the Parochial Church Council, after having passed a resolution wishing the machinery of the Measure to be put into force, being ignored.

CANON E. S. FARDELL (Norwich) seconded.

SIR JOHN BIRCHALL, M.P., supporting the amendment, said there was a danger of the good done by subsection 1 of the Measure being undone by subsection 2. They pressed the right of laymen to be consulted. They did not ask for more than consultation, but they did hope the consultation would be made a reality.

LORD WOLMER asked the House of Laity not to put patrons against them, and not to make them feel that unreasonable proposals were being put on their shoulders.

LORD HUGH CECIL explained that the interpretation of the two subsections under discussion was that the patron could choose whether he asked for the consent of the Parochial Church Council or of the Bishop.

CANON G. W. BRIGGS (Leicester) supported the amendment from the standpoint of the clergy.

The amendment was carried, and Clause 3 agreed to.

The DEAN of WESTMINSTER said that Clause 7, excluding Crown patronage from the Measure, was retained for the present subject to further consultation with the advisers of the Crown. The members in charge had not been able yet to get the present advisers of the Crown to consider the question with them, owing to the pressure of business. At the moment the Crown was unwilling to be included in the Measure.

The revision stage was completed. Clause 3 will be further considered for revision to-day.

SALE OF ADVOWSONS

SIR THOMAS INSKIP moved that general approval be given to the Benefices Act, 1898 (Amendment) Measure, which provides that a right of patronage of a benefice shall be incapable of sale, and that any transfer for valuable consideration of such right of patronage shall be invalid. He said he had long advocated the abolition of the sale of advowsons. They had been reducing the powers of patrons. Members of the Church of England could not complain if they could no longer be allowed to traffic in what was a trust. Those who were not members surely could not complain if they were deprived of the privilege of trading and trafficking in spiritual trusts connected with a Church to which they did not belong. He believed public opinion was now prepared to see the saleability of advowsons abolished altogether. "If Parliament will not allow us to abolish it," he said, "then the sin is not on our heads." The real scandal was that advowsons could be sold at all. Publicity would not alter the fact that here they had a man selling, and claiming to be paid for, the privilege of appointing a spiritual pastor. He believed the members of the Church of England in the House of Commons would support his Measure. He would be ashamed of them if they did not. He believed it would have the support of the Nonconformists in the House. There was not a member of the Free Churches who dare stand up and say that in the sacred name of property it should any longer be tolerable or legal to sell the trust and the privilege of the appointment of a minister in the Church of England.

The debate was adjourned till to-day.

THE INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW

OPENING AT OLYMPIA TO-DAY

The 19th annual International Horse Show, which opens at Olympia to-day and will continue until June 28, promises to be one of the most successful of the series. On its spectacular side it will gain much by the appearance of a detachment of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, which will give exhibitions of horsemanship twice daily. There will be the usual jumping competitions, and, as on former occasions, many riding and harness classes, the coaching Marathon, and special sections for officers' chargers and mounted constables. Although there are four fewer classes than last year—a total of 103 as compared with 107—there is a record number of over 2,000 entries; and the prize money, including the value of the trophies, exceeds £7,200.

The setting of the show will be similar to that of last year. Yesterday a large staff of gardeners was employed in arranging the elaborate floral decorations of the arena, which will be surrounded with beds of geraniums, blue hydrangeas, and marguerites. A great expanse of painted scenery covers the upper walls, and over the great entrance gates to the arena is a pictorial representation of Lowther Castle, the home of Lord Lonsdale, the chief English director of the show.

Gala performances have been arranged for the afternoons of Monday and Friday next week. The officers' jumping competition for the King George V. Gold Cup will take place on the first of these occasions, and on the Friday afternoon the principal event will be the contest for the Prince of Wales's Cup by teams of officers. These contests have attracted entrants from Great Britain, the Irish Free State, Germany, France, Belgium, Holland, and Chile. The winner of the King's Cup last year was Lieutenant Gibault, France. The Prince of Wales's Cup, which is competed for by teams of three officers, was won outright by Great Britain in 1928, and was again presented by the Army Council for perpetual competition. Last year Great Britain again won the trophy. Germany will be represented at the show by five officers from the Cavalry School, Hanover; France has entered four officers, and the Irish Free State has sent 20 horses and a team of six officers. It is expected that the Prince of Wales will attend the gala performance on June 27 and present his cup to the winning team.

The Royal Canadian Mounted Police, who are under the command of Inspector T. Dann, of the Vancouver Division, will give displays which will include musical rides, trick riding, and other demonstrations of the control of the horseman over his mount. Sergeant-Major Griffin, who is the non-commissioned officer in charge of the detachment, is one of the best roughriders in Canada.

Among the general exhibitors are:—

Lady Bradford, Lady Haddington, Lady Glenapp, the Dowager Lady Penhryn, Lord and Lady Hillingdon, Lady Hobart, Lady Helen McCalmont, Lady Philipson-Stow, Lady Warrender, Miss Dorothy Paget, Mrs. Ponsonby, Baron Goutz of Akocim, Poland, Mrs. Drury-Lowe, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir A. G. Weigall, Major-General F. W. Ramsay, Lieutenant-Colonel F. G. D. Colman, and Dr. Alex. Bowie.

ROYAL NORFOLK SHOW

THE KING'S SUCCESS

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT)

DISS, JUNE 18

The Royal Norfolk Show opened in brilliant weather to-day at Diss on the Walcot Hall Meadows, under the presidency of Sir Edward Mann. The entries are a record number, chiefly because of increased exhibits in the cattle classes.

The standard of the stock is higher than usual, especially in the cattle display, the largest in the history of the association. In the horse section entries total 398, and the show of shires, representing some of the best breeders in the country, is the best for some years. The hunter classes are well filled; and sheep make a good display, the Suffolk breed exceeding others, though some of the cream of Southdowns are on view. Slightly smaller entries are recorded in the pig section, but the quality is excellent. Goat entries (108) establish another record. A large exhibition arranged by the Norfolk agricultural station and county council is of distinct educational value in the matter of systematic rationing of cattle and pigs, and in giving the results of trials in varieties of crops.

The King, who is patron of the association, was one of the largest exhibitors with a representative entry from the Sandringham farms of Shire horses, Red Poll cattle, and Southdown sheep. His Majesty won the Shire Horse Society's gold medal for a Shire mare or filly with Smelton Sunbeam. Messrs. H. J. and H. G. Martin, of Littleport, won the King's Prize for a Norfolk farmer's Shire mare or filly. The Shire Horse Society's bronze medal for a Shire gelding was won by one of four massive geldings entered by Mann, Crossman, and Paulin which have been regularly on the streets of London.

Other principal winners were:—

HORSE CLASSES.—Lieutenant-Colonel T. W. Daniel (Bungay), A. H. Clarke and Son (Spalding), G. R. C. Foster (Cambridge), J. D. Longrigg and Son (Ditchingham).

SUFFOLK CLASSES.—J. A. Berners (Ipswich), W. N. L. Champion (Riddlesworth Hall), O. H. Smith (Oakham, Rutland), A. T. Spratt (Ipswich), Mrs. C. Rich (Thetford), C. S. Back and Son and F. Sainsbury (Haverhill).

HUNTERS.—Mr. H. R. W. Mitchell (Kirby Bedon), 7 firsts and silver cup for best hunter mare or gelding.

SADDLE CLASSES.—Mr. R. Bullard (Norwich), Captain E. W. Makins (Necton), Captain R. G. Buxton (Sporle), H. Jones (Grantham), and Mrs. Rich.

RED POLL CATTLE.—Sir Herbert Hambling, Sir H. E. Trafford, and O. N. Smith.

Mr. Myall (Tittleshall) won the King's Cup for the best Norfolk Red Poll. Shorthorns.—Sir Edward Mann, Sir W. Hicking, W. R. C. Ashby (Ightham), J. O. Fane (Steventon), and Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Batt (Gresham Hall). J. and J. Colman's Prize for best Red Poll Bull.—Lieutenant-Colonel Batt. Champion Prize for best Red Poll Cow.—Captain Sir H. E. de Trafford. President's Prize for best Dairy Shorthorn Cow.—Sir William Hicking. Friesian Classes.—Major B. M. Edwards (Hardingham), Mr. G. Gee (Mayford), and Captain G. R. Buxton. Jersey Classes.—C. J. Phillips (Melton Mowbray), M. Birkbeck (Poringland), Mrs. J. T. Wigan (Chelmsford). Guernsey Classes.—Mrs. E. Howe (Bealings) and Mr. C. C. Empson (Newmarket). Aberdeen Angus.—Colonel R. Ffennell (Special) and Sir Henry Bell (Reigate).

Sheep.—Lady Ludlow (Luton), J. Pierpont Morgan (Watford), Hollesley Bay Labour Colony, G. Sainsbury. Goats.—Miss K. Pelly (Epping), Mrs. A. Abbey (Roydon, Essex), Mrs. R. St. V. Bignall (Frensham), Mr. B. Z. Wright (Hoveton), Mrs. W. A. Sterling (Boxted). Pigs.—Stafford, Allen and Sons (Long Melford), A. W. White (Spalding), D. W. Gough (Bury St. Edmunds), Backheath Park Gardens, H. S. Ashton (Ingatestone).

STAFFORDSHIRE SHOW

COL. GRETTON ON THE FARMER'S DIFFICULTIES

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

BURTON-ON-TRENT, JUNE 18

The Staffordshire Agricultural Societies two-days' show opened at Burton-on-Trent to-day, and nearly reached the record with 648 entries of live stock. The prize money was £1,500, and there were about a score of trophies, some presented by Meynell Hunt. The weather was not good: a thunderstorm broke over the district in the morning, and again in the afternoon a brief storm sent every one to shelter. Colonel John Gretton, M.P., is this year's president, and those who attended included the Duke of Devonshire and Lord Dartmouth, and the Mayor of Burton (Councillor Giles).

At the luncheon COLONEL GRETTON, proposing success to agriculture, said he wanted to see help given to agriculture. About the country one could see more poultry being raised and more business being done with eggs. This was both useful and an assistance to agriculture. He added that the troubles of agriculture were special and required special remedies. These remedies were in safeguarding and other similar measures. They were moving inevitably to that solution. Speaking of subsidized importing, he said that agriculture could not be left out and already there were suggestions of a countervailing duty being imposed. He thought that if these duties were at least equal to the subsidy some of the difficulties would be overcome early.

THE EPSOM MURDER

Many persons have tried to help the police in their investigation of the murder of Agnes Kesson, the Scottish waitress, at Epsom on Derby Day. From one of them has been received a photographic film of a small crowd collected round a board on the course. It is believed that Agnes Kesson and the man with whom she spent part of the day on the racecourse were included in the picture, and the film will be developed at Scotland Yard and enlarged. Although for the moment the police have reached a dead end in their inquiries they are not without hope of an early solution of the mystery. Several men have been taken to the local police station within the last few days, but after making statements all have been allowed to go.

CURZON HEIRLOOMS TO BE SOLD

BURDEN OF DEATH DUTIES

After several applications during the last two or three months to the Court, before Mr. Justice Luxmoore, "*in re* the Curzon Settled Heirlooms and *in re* the Scarsdale Settled Heirlooms," a sale has been sanctioned and some 30 pictures will form part of Messrs. Christie's auction on July 18. As in similar cases, the object of the sale is to pay off the death duties, which are understood to amount to a very large sum. Viscount Scarsdale succeeded his uncle, the Marquess Curzon of Kedleston, in 1925.

The 30 pictures which are to be sold at Christie's only constitute a small selection from Kedleston, and a number of them were purchased by the late Marquess during the last quarter of a century. He added, for instance, the Reynolds group of Lady Dashwood and Child, Hoppner's portrait of Lady Waldegrave, Gainsborough's Lady Impey, Raeburn's portrait of Mrs. Blair, and others, all of which are now to be sold; and it may be added that everything which he added to the collection was of good quality.

DESCRIPTION OF PICTURES

The collection of pictures and statues at Kedleston, constituting part of the Scarsdale heirlooms, is one of the last of its kind in this country to remain undisturbed. The beginning of the collection dates back nearly two centuries. Most of the successive heads of the family—and none more so than the late peer—have rather prided themselves on their knowledge of the Old Masters, and their interest in the collection at Kedleston has always been keen, as various expert visitors have from time to time testified.

Possibly the most valuable picture included in the sale is Rembrandt's portrait of an old man with a thin white beard and grey hair, engraved by R. Houston in 1757 and at one time in the John Barnard collection (1761), whence it seems to have passed into the Curzon family. It is described in full in Bode, Hofstede de Groot, and elsewhere, and is reproduced in the Klassiker der Kunst volume on Rembrandt. The much larger picture, also attributed to Rembrandt in the old catalogue, "Daniel Interpreting to Nebuchadnezzar," 5½ft. square, is not now accepted as by that artist. It was one of Waagen's "chief inducements" to visit Kedleston Hall three-quarters of a century ago, and he frankly told the then owner that he regarded it as a masterpiece by Solomon de Koninck, an able follower of Rembrandt, and the then Lord Scarsdale "was glad to hear my opinion, as he himself had had some doubts on the subject, though the value of the picture was thereby considerably diminished." Waagen specially notes other pictures of the Flemish school (some of which do not appear in the old catalogue), Bernard Van Orley, the Virgin with the Infant Christ and other figures; Jan Matsys, the Virgin Kissing the Child, resembling in motive a picture by his father, Quentin Matsys, in the Berlin Museum; Jan Steen, a blind beggar and two other figures; Judocus de Momper, a rich mountainous country, "perhaps the finest work of the master," with figures and animals very happily introduced by Velvet Breughel; two Snyders pictures of dead animals and ducks pursued by a hawk, and others by Jan Fyt and Adrian Van Utrecht; only some of these have been selected for sale. Waagen specially mentions and describes pictures by Nicolo del Abate, two by Annibal Caracci, and others by Guido, Guercino, Carlo Dolce, Domenichino, and "good pictures" by less familiar artists. Claude Lorraine's "The Tower on the Tiber"—it was exhibited at Manchester in 1857—is singled out for notice (and is one of those to be sold), as were also Nicholas Poussin's "Rinaldo holding his Shield to Armida as a Mirror," and a wood scene by Richard Wilson, "with gleams of light, of remarkable warmth and clearness."

Glancing through the older catalogues will reveal the presence at Kedleston of many portraits, family and otherwise, by early English artists and by foreign artists who worked in England. There are several attributed to Van Dyck, a portrait of Charles I., 40in. by 50in., a smaller one of the Duchess of Portsmouth, Sir Peter Rycourt, and one of Shakespeare—this last appears in the 1824 catalogue. Perhaps all the Van Dycks will need close inspection, especially the last, for Shakespeare died four years before Van Dyck's first brief visit to England. Attributions become less provocative in the cases of Lely and Kneller. The 1787 catalogue records two whole-lengths by Lely, but gives no names of the personages, but the other portraits by this artist include James, Duke of Ormond, Henry, Earl of St. Albans, and the Duchess of York, while Kneller is represented by Prince Rupert's daughter and the Countess of Dorchester. There is a copy by W. Hamilton after Mytens of the Countess of Dorset, governess to Princess Mary and the Duke of York, in an "extremely singular" dress, a large picture, 7ft. by 4ft., which adorned the state bedchamber for generations. There are several family portraits by W. Hamilton, two are added in manuscript to the 1787 catalogue by Lord Scarsdale—the Hon. Henry Curzon and Mary Curzon, Countess of Dorset. Angelica Kauffmann was also patronized by Lord Scarsdale, who has added her portrait of the Hon. Caroline Curzon to the printed catalogue.

EXPERT TRANSLATORS

A PANEL FORMED

Sir J. J. Thomson, O.M., as president of the Association of Special Libraries and Information Bureaux, writes to draw attention to the formation by the association of a panel of expert translators.

"Those who require the services of a translator," he says, "often experience difficulty in finding one who has both a knowledge of the language and also of the special subject concerned, and the difficulty increases where the language is uncommon and the subject highly technical. Proficiency in the language is not enough. To afford specialized service the translator must have not only a good knowledge of the language, but a really close acquaintance with the subject he has to translate—*e.g.*, the law, metallurgy, medicine, architecture, management, or whatever the subject may be. With the object of overcoming this difficulty, which has been brought to their notice continually, the council of the association recently appointed a committee consisting of Dr. S. C. Bradford, librarian, the Science Library; Allan Gomme, librarian, the Patent Office; Dr. R. S. Hutton, director, British Non-Ferrous Metals Research Association; Miss A. L. Lawrence, M.B.E., M.A., LL.B., Intelligence Officer, British Medical Association; Brigadier-General Magnus Mowat, C.B.E., M.Inst.C.E., M.I.Mech.E., secretary, Institution of Mechanical Engineers; E. I. Robson, M.A., librarian, Institute of Agricultural Engineering; to prepare a scheme for establishing a panel of translators having both linguistic and technical qualifications, the part taken by the association being to act as a connecting link between the translator and the user. Names of approved qualified persons are now being registered under the scheme adopted and those who are interested, in either capacity, are invited to write for particulars to the Secretary, Association of Special Libraries and Information Bureaux, 26, Bedford-square, London, W.C.1."

Sir J. J. Thomson adds that while the panel is intended to consist primarily of approved individual translators, it is hoped that commercial translating bureaux, which may partly or wholly function in the field of specialized subjects, will apply for registration if they are prepared to satisfy the association of their ability to offer such high-grade service.

R.A.F. PILOT KILLED

Flying Officer John Cecil Lauga Claxton, the sole occupant of the machine, was fatally injured yesterday when an R.A.F. aeroplane he was piloting crashed on the golf links adjoining the Farnborough Aerodrome. He received severe head injuries, and died shortly afterwards in the Cambridge Military Hospital. He was attached to the School of Photography, Farnborough.

LONDON SESSIONS ACQUITTALS

The following accused persons were *Acquitted* at the London Sessions yesterday and were accordingly discharged:—

JAMES GORDON, 28, labourer, and WILLIAM BENJAMIN ALDERTON, 22, a waiter, committed from Marylebone, charged with stealing a motor-car.

GEORGE WILLIAM GIBSON, 32, a motor-driver, committed from the Thames Police Court on a charge of stealing two cartons of cheese.

JOHN GRAY, 59, a taxicab-driver, committed from Marylebone on the charge of being drunk while in charge of his cab.

HENRY CECIL PERRIN, 33, a dealer, committed from Clerkenwell on a charge of feloniously receiving a wireless set and other property.

THE SHETTLESTON BY-ELECTION

OPEN-AIR PROPAGANDA IN THE HEAT

Candidates { Mr. W. P. Templeton (U.)
Mr. J. McGovern (Lab.)
Mr. J. M. McNicol (Scot. Nat.)
Mr. S. Saklatvala (Com.)

Polling, June 26. Declaration, June 27.

LAST ELECTION:—

Mr. J. Wheatley (Lab.)	19,594
Mr. H. J. Moss (U.)	12,870
Labour majority	6,724

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

GLASGOW, JUNE 18

Electioneering here is a strenuous occupation. Glasgow is still sweltering in a heat wave, which is not conducive to political enthusiasm. The candidates find that the electors cannot be persuaded to come to indoor meetings, and so they are carrying their propaganda to them at the street corners.

The Liberal vote may have considerable influence on the result, and it is interesting to note that Mr. F. Norie Miller, prospective Liberal candidate for Perth and one of the leading Liberals in Scotland, advises the Liberal voters in Shettleston to support the Conservative candidate. He states that lifelong Liberals and free-traders are not only justified, but as patriots it is their duty, to vote for the Conservative candidate, who is a supporter of Empire Free Trade.

Another enthusiastic worker has been introduced into the campaign. This is Mrs. Flora Drummond, of the Women's Guild of Empire, who states that she is going to organize the "flapper vote." Mrs. Drummond states that she is not supporting any candidate, but she wants to impress on women voters the importance of safeguarding.

According to Mr. Templeton, the Government is an outcast in Shettleston at the moment and has not a single defender among the candidates. The policy of the Unionist Party, he declares, is the only policy that carries with it a hope, a prospect, a certainty of better times for our people.

Mr. McGovern, the Labour candidate, regards the issue as one between himself and the Conservative candidate. His attitude towards his other two opponents is almost contemptuous. They will both forfeit their deposit, he says, and the only competition between them was which would be at the bottom of the poll.

Mr. McNicol, the Nationalist, claims that unemployment in Scotland can only be effectively dealt with when Scottish people have control over Scottish affairs.

Mr. Saklatvala has a personal grievance against the Government. He protests against the illegality and hideousness of the refusal to allow him to leave the country, and claims that he had been kept here against his own wish by the intriguing British Government. Shettleston is inclined to support his protest.

NORTH NORFOLK

CONSERVATIVE PLEDGE TO MR. BALDWIN

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

HOLT, JUNE 18

A meeting of the general council of the North Norfolk Conservative Association, held at Holt to-day, unanimously resolved:—

"That this meeting of the North Norfolk Conservative Association, having carefully considered the question of a fighting policy at the coming election, unanimously agrees that Mr. T. A. Cook should fight on the official policy of the party and should loyally support Mr. Baldwin. In addition it warmly welcomes the promised cooperation of Lord Beaverbrook and the Empire Free Trade Crusade, which will have the whole-hearted support of Mr. Cook, and all that it implies."

Mr. Cook is to be adopted at Sheringham on Friday. Lady Noel-Buxton is opening the campaign to-morrow. The Liberals have decided not to run a candidate until the General Election. It is the general opinion that the Empire Crusade platform will lose Liberal votes for the Conservatives. The date of the election will probably be July 11.

At a meeting of the Wakefield Conservative Association yesterday, Dr. G. B. Hillman was adopted as prospective candidate. Dr. Hillman was Mayor of Wakefield in 1928 and has been a member of the Wakefield City Council since 1926. He unsuccessfully contested the Normanton Division at the General Election of 1923. He has practised in the West Riding for nearly 40 years.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CONFERENCE

THE COMING UNION

Delegates from every Primitive Methodist church in England and Wales attended the hundred and eleventh conference of the Church at Bradford yesterday. With the reunion of the three Methodist Churches in two years' time, this separate conference will cease to be held.

The new PRESIDENT, the Rev. W. Musson Kelley (Salisbury and Southampton district), referred to the passing of the conference with regret. He said that their conference had been a large family gathering. They knew each other intimately. It was not too big for quiet fellowship and helpful communion. The united conference would rob them of much of that; but the other two Churches were making their sacrifices. They were on the threshold of changes that were heartening, that came to them with a challenge, and that would enrich the fellowship of the Church. He did not forget that the Church was bigger than all their organizations, and its fellowship wider than their own community. They rejoiced that in these days the circles were widening. That fact indicated a new temper, a better spirit. A few years ago Methodist union seemed a wild dream. The coming together of the Methodist Churches in organic union was an indication of their own growth in intelligence and in grace. There was a willingness to make sacrifices. Each of the three Churches was giving up some things that had both a sentimental and an actual value.

The statistics for last year showed that the number of scholars decreased by 9,653. These were net figures from all the districts. On the other hand, the total Church membership of 225,861 represented a net increase of 1,958.

THE IMPERIAL PRESS DELEGATES

VISIT TO COVENTRY

The delegates to the Imperial Press Conference visited Coventry yesterday before beginning their Scottish tour. At the works of Messrs. Alfred Herbert, Limited, machine tool manufacturers, they saw the largest machine shop in the world, 8½ acres being covered by a single roof. Afterwards they visited the Humber and Hillman works, and were given a civic reception at the Council House by the Mayor of Coventry, Alderman F. Lee. Some of the historic buildings of Coventry were visited and the sub-Dean, Canon C. E. Morton, conducted the party round the Cathedral. In the evening the delegates were entertained at dinner in St. Mary's Hall by Sir Edward Iliffe, who presided.

THE WATERLOO BANNER

The King received from the Duke of Wellington at Windsor Castle yesterday the tricolour banner which is annually handed to the Sovereign on the anniversary of Waterloo as a return for the Strathfieldsaye estate. After his Majesty had received the banner it was placed over the marble bust of the Duke of Wellington in the Guard Room.

A jury at the Liverpool Assizes yesterday awarded £1,250 to Mrs. Helen Mathieson Halliwell, of Kinnaird-road, Wallasey, and £500 to her nine-year-old son, as damages against Gilbert Henry Venables, a lieutenant in the submarine service, now stationed at Plymouth, on a claim for the loss of her husband, who was killed in a motor accident when riding in Lieutenant Venables's motor-car near Barrow-in-Furness in October last. Judgment was given for Mrs. Halliwell with costs.

MINISTERS' POWERS

VIEWS ON THE HEARING OF COMPLAINTS

The Committee appointed by the Lord Chancellor to consider the powers of Ministers of the Crown held a further meeting at the House of Lords yesterday, when evidence was given on behalf of the General Council of the Bar by Mr. E. A. Mitchell-Innes, K.C. Lord Donoughmore presided.

Mr. Mitchell-Innes said that with regard to the allegation that there were some features of departmental inquiry and decision which ignored, or, at least, tended to impair the judicial character of this function and thus robbed those affected by it of that security in respect of legal right to which every man was entitled, he said it was not suggested that the remedy could be found in either the adoption by Government departments of the procedure of the Courts of Law or in the general review of departmental decisions by those Courts. Considerations of time and expense forbade any such suggestion, though cheapness and expedition, pursued as ends in themselves, might be attained at too great a cost in other directions. Many of the persons concerned were poor. Further, it might well be doubted whether the Courts possessed either the appropriate experience or special knowledge which would render them satisfactory as appellate tribunals on questions of fact or administrative discretion. But, within these limits, there were important points to be considered. It was presumably not in controversy that on questions of law such as *ultra vires* and the construction of a statute there was and should be an appeal to the Courts of law.

It was sometimes said that, in decisions of an administrative character, it was right that effect should be given to the policy of a department. If that simply meant that regard must be had to the best way of putting a statute into operation, it was indisputably true. But "policy" might have reference to views which changed with the political colour of Ministers and Governments and might involve questions of the scope and interpretation of a statute. In such a case, it was conceived that there should and would be an appeal to the Courts. It might be undesirable that there should be a public hearing or appeal as of right in the case of administrative or discretionary decisions. But who should say what was an administrative decision? There were some cases clearly justiciable, there were others administrative, but between the two there were many cases, which partook of both characters. With regard to oral hearing, it was strongly urged, except in cases of purely administrative decision, the complainant should be entitled on demand, to have such a hearing which should be public and that witnesses should give evidence orally and be subject to cross-examination. Under present departmental practice, where an inquiry had been held and a report made, it was open to the Minister to disregard and override the report. It was difficult to justify this severance of the duty of hearing from that of decision. The unification of these functions was the foundation of the administration of justice in the Courts of law, because it was regarded as a fundamental condition of decision that the tribunal which had seen and heard the witnesses should decide.

SUGGESTIONS

Mr. Mitchell-Innes submitted the following suggestions:—That, in cases of, at least, all other than purely administrative decisions, the applicant or person aggrieved should be entitled, on demand, to an oral hearing; that the parties should have the right to be represented by counsel or solicitor; that those who inquired into the facts should decide the case; that all decisions should, on their face, state the reasons on which they were founded; that the practice of publishing the reports of decisions should be extended; that, in all cases, departmental tribunals should possess powers to compel the attendance of witnesses, to administer oaths, to require the production of documents; and to state cases on questions of law for the opinion of the Court; that, in all cases, an aggrieved person should have a right of appeal on questions of law to the High Court, subject to the permission of the Minister; that the procedure on appeal to the High Court should be simplified and the expenses restricted; and that judicial and quasi-judicial duties should be performed by persons not members of the staff of a department.

The Committee adjourned until next Wednesday.

EMPLOYMENT OF JUVENILES

EFFECT OF WAR YEARS

The annual report to the Ministry of Labour of the London Advisory Council for Juvenile Employment (Stationery Office, price 6d.) recalls that in ther last report the Council spoke of the sustained demand for boys and girls fresh from the schools and expressed the opinion that young people should have little difficulty in finding work. That position, says the present report, continued throughout 1929.

Discussing the effect of the reduced birth-rate during the War years upon child employment, during 1929-33, the report points out that, according to a memorandum issued by the Ministry of Labour, based largely on the views of local Juvenile Committees, there will be a gradual decline in the number of children leaving school until the lowest ebb is reached between 1932 and 1933. The decrease will vary considerably in different parts of the country but will be in general between 15 and 30 per cent., in comparison with the number leaving school during the year 1927-28. A sudden rise is probable in 1934, followed by a further decline until at least 1940.

Inquiries relating to London and portions of the adjacent counties within a radius of approximately 15 miles from Charing Cross were made last year by the Council with the assistance of education authorities around London. From statistics compiled it was estimated that the number of children leaving the elementary schools might be expected to fall from 102,812 in 1928 to 71,102 in 1932, *i.e.*, by 30.84 per cent., while for the more restricted area of the London County Council the corresponding reduction is as much as 37.14 per cent. A decline in the number of leavers is already evident, but over a number of years the shortage is of course cumulative in effect, and it appears that by the year 1932 in the wider area referred to there will be some 77,000 fewer juveniles available for industry than there were in 1928. To some extent the shortage of juvenile labour will be met by the movement of families from other parts of the country to new industries which are being established round the metropolis; but at present these additions to the great variety of industries already being carried on in the district are creating a marked scarcity of young workers.

The decline in the number of juveniles available for employment in the London area, the report comments, presents a situation of unusual interest to those who are actively engaged on juvenile employment and its problems, quite apart from the decision of the Government in regard to the raising of the school-leaving age. The Council have discussed the temptation there is for boys and girls to seek highly paid jobs in preference to those offering training and a prospect of advancement in after-life; the danger of young people being employed for over-long hours during the period of scarcity; and the possibility of these conditions affecting the number of boys and girls undertaking continued education. The Council consider that in view of the varied conditions throughout the wide area covered by the 22 committees in London, centralized action might prove to be embarrassing, but on the other hand some move should be made towards a common policy with the object of strengthening the influence of local committees.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY

The total amount so far received as the result of collections in the churches and chapels of London on Hospital Sunday is about £46,000. The result of a broadcast appeal by Lord Knutsford was £1,100. Among private donations were the following:—

Sir Heath Harrison, £2,500; "X.Y.D.," £600; Barclays Bank, Lloyds Bank, Midland Bank, National Provincial Bank, and Westminster Bank, £500 each; Sir John Latta, £262; A.B.C., Bank of Australasia, Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, and Lord Wakefield, £250 each; Anonymous, £200; The Gas Light and Coke Company and London and Thames Haven Oil Wharves, £105 each; Messrs. Fuller, Smith and Turner, "H. J. S.," Imperial Bank of Persia, National Bank of India, Limited, Mr. W. D. Graham Menzies and Mr. Walter C. Northcott, £100 each.

Among the Church collections were:—

St. Columba's, Pont-street, £826; St. Peter's, Cranley-gardens, £196; Brompton Parish Church, £139; Holy Trinity, Sloane-street, £132; Wanstead Parish Church and Christ Church, £127; St. Ann's, Stamford Hill, £120; St. Alban's, Golders Green, £114; St. Peter's, Brockley, £102; Lee Parish Church, £96; All Souls', London-place, £90; The City Temple, £86; the Temple Church, £86.

News in Brief

Efforts to refloat Miss England II. continued at Windermere yesterday until they were interrupted by a thunderstorm.

C. McDermaid and H. Park, both of Glasgow, first and second engineers of the steamer Kerryhead, were fatally scalded in the ship at Limerick at midnight on Tuesday.

Fire broke out at the "Golfers' Church" (St. Nicholas) at Wallasey on Tuesday night. A visiting clergyman gave the warning, and the fire brigade were able to extinguish the flames quickly.

A failure of the points at Golders Green station through a mechanical defect seriously affected the running on the Edgware-Morden Underground line from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. yesterday.

Messrs. Barclay, Curle and Co., Limited, on Tuesday launched from their Clydeholm Shipyard, Whiteinch, the motor-driven tanker Havsten (9,000 tons), built to the order of Messrs. Rafen and Loennechen, Norway.

During a dense fog yesterday the passenger steamer Aberdonian, of Aberdeen, went ashore near Staithes, Yorkshire. Fifty passengers bound for London disembarked and proceeded by train. The ship is in no immediate danger.

Governors' speech day will be observed at Harrow School to-day, when a Latin oration will be delivered in the Speech Room by R. D. Stewart Brown, head of the school. The school speech day has been fixed for Wednesday, July 2.

Thieves who carried out a "smash and grab" raid at a jeweller's shop in Railton-road, Brixton, S.W., early yesterday wore towels round their necks, as though they were an early morning bathing party, and so deceived policemen who had observed them.

A verdict of "Accidental death" was recorded at the inquest yesterday on the body of Wing-Commander Bernard Edward Smythies, 33, of North Weald Aerodrome, who was in an aeroplane accident at Epping on Tuesday. It was stated that, after taking off, the machine struck the awning of a roller and fell.

The General Purposes Sub-committee of the Hertfordshire Education Committee, reporting on the subject of instruction to school children against scattering litter in public places, state that complaints have been received from parents because their children were made to pick up litter in the playgrounds. The matter is to come before the Education Committee to-morrow.

NEWS IN ADVERTISEMENTS

The following items are taken from the advertisement columns in this issue of *The Times*, where details will be found:—

Two assistant keepers are required at the Public Record Office. (p. 3)

Two vacancies for geologists for the geological survey of Great Britain are announced. (p. 3)

A number of junior assistantships in the National Physical Laboratory are announced. (p. 3)

In September the County School for Girls, Gravesend, will require an assistant mistress. (p. 3)

There is a vacancy in West Africa for a young man with a knowledge of foreign trade. (p. 3)

The Governors of Ruthin School, North Wales, are seeking a headmaster. (p. 3)

STOWAWAYS FROM AUSTRALIA

TWO FAMILIES FOUND IN LINER

When the Orient liner Ormonde arrived at Plymouth yesterday it was reported that two families of stowaways were found on board the vessel the day after she left the Australian continent. They had, it is stated, walked on board at Fremantle and made themselves at home.

A man and his wife with three children, the oldest six years old, belonging to Leicester, were discovered on deck, where they had slept all night. A further search of the liner revealed three sisters in one of the bathrooms. Their ages were 25, 17, and 14, and their destination was Paddington. The two families were in no way associated.

At Colombo the husband and the eldest of the sisters were handed over to the authorities. Sympathetic passengers in the first and third class subscribed enough money to pay the fares of the others to England. Thus of the eight original stowaways six arrived at Plymouth yesterday as passengers.

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WHEN PEOPLE GET ON WELL TOGETHER

By CALLISTHENES

No idea about modern business is more entirely false than the idea that the feelings of the workers do not matter.

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A business where there is friction between the workers, dislike, distrust, hostility, and where there is nothing but the "cash nexus" between employer and staff—no loyalty, no feeling of mutual or of common interest—such a business simply cannot stand up in sheer economic competition to the one which, with equal industrial efficiency and technical equipment, has workers friendly with each other and loyal to their leaders.

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For the public can detect it at once when the people in a business do not get on well together—and they dislike it heartily. There are comments, these days, about occasional quarrels on the international tennis courts. How much it spoils the spectacle when the players are obviously on the verge of an open quarrel! How it takes the glamour from the *prima donna* when she turns a cold and disapproving stare on the conductor!

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THE PATRIARCH OF ALEXANDRIA

His Beatitude Meletios II., Metaxakis, Patriarch of Alexandria, who is visiting England for the Lambeth Conference, will attend the Nikaean Lecture at King's College, Strand, on Monday, June 30, at 5.30 p.m., when Canon Wigram, D.D., will lecture on "Anglicanism and Orthodoxy." On Tuesday, July 1, at 11 a.m., his Beatitude will preach at the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Society of the Faith in the Church of St. Mary-le-Strand, and at 8 p.m. the same day he will lay the foundation-stone of a children's chapel in St. Luke's, Rosemary-road, Peckham. No tickets are required for any of these gatherings.

Entertainments

THE THEATRES

VISIT OF JAPANESE PLAYERS

One of the most interesting theatrical events of next week will be the appearance at the Globe Theatre on Tuesday of the Japanese Players, headed by Mr. Tokujiro Tsutsui, who have been playing for the last few months at the Théâtre Pigalle, Paris. Mr. C. B. Cochran has seen their complete repertory and selected the items which, in his opinion, will interest London audiences. Their entertainment, in *revue* form, will include dramatic sketches, music, and dancing. They will also bring a Japanese orchestra. They perform, it is said, in wonderful costumes, seen at their most beautiful in *Love When the Cherry Trees are in Flower*. Other sketches are *Hidden Providence*, in which six Japanese fight with broadswords; *The Puppet*, about a Japanese Pygmalion, who sees the feminine figure he has carved come to life; and *Crossing the Border*, a war drama of the Middle Ages. Mr. Tsutsui is supported by Kiyoshi Mimasu, Taisuka Kikuchi, Yamanaka, Momayo Chigusa, Kazue Ueno, and Tsuyako Misono.

To-morrow night the first of eight performances of *Twelfth Night* will be given by the O.U.D.S. in the garden of Queen's College. The part of Viola will be played by Miss Yvonne Rorie; Olivia by Miss Jessica Tandy; Maria by Miss Elsa Palmer; Orsino by Mr. O. P. E. Reed; Malvolio by Mr. L. R. Hale; and Sir Toby by Mr. G. A. C. Deime. The play is being produced by Mr. Gyles Isham.

Mr. Ben Levy's play, *This Woman Business*, will be presented by the Keble College Players on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings. This will be their seventh annual production. The leading woman's part will be played by Miss Sylvia Sharpe, who appeared in the O.U.D.S. production of *Macbeth*.

Another "little" theatre—the Players' Theatre, in New Compton-street—has been taken for the summer season by the Pakton Players, a new play-producing group that aims at presenting a series of plays by British authors which have not yet been seen in London. A beginning will be made on Monday with *The Tower*, a play by Miss Mary Pakington; the cast will include Miss Margaret Halstan and Mr. H. Mackenzie Rogan. This will be followed by *Marion-Ella*, a new play by Mr. Rodney Ackland, a young actor whose play, *Improper People*, was given last October at the Arts Theatre. The principal part will be played by Miss Gabrielle Casartelli.

The next production by the J. T. Grein Cosmopolitan Theatre will be Goethe's *Faust*, which will be given in the original German at the Arts Theatre on Sunday evening and Monday afternoon. This will be the first time that it has been played here in its own language. The cast includes Mr. Guy Pelham-Boulton, Mr. Gerald Cooper, Mr. Alix Grein, Mr. Tristan Rawson, Miss Anne Stephenson, Miss Joan Clement-Scott, Mr. Austin Trevor, and Mr. Emlyn Williams. The producer is Michael Orme (Mrs. J. T. Grein).

"COMUS"

Milton's *Comus*, with the original music by Henry Lawes, will be performed in a wooded amphitheatre in the gardens of Ashridge House, Berkhamsted—the seat of the Bonar Law College—on the afternoons and evenings of July 18 and 19. The masque was originally written by Milton for the first Earl of Bridgewater, the then owner of Ashridge, and was acted by his children in the grounds of Ludlow Castle in 1634. The performances are being given by the Ashridge Players in aid of the Ashridge Endowment Fund, and the masque will be produced by Mr. Arthur Bryant.

A group of religious plays will be given at Caxton Hall, Westminster, during the Festival of English Church Art which is being held this month. To-night, *The Pilgrim's Progress* will be presented by the Girls' Friendly Society; on Monday, *Stray Sheep, The Gate of Vision*, and *Outcasts* will be given by the Mystical Players; next Thursday *The Sponge of Vinegar* and *The Story of Tobit*; on Saturday afternoon, June 28, Tennyson's *Becket*; and on Monday, June 30, *The Founder Saints of Great Britain*. The artists will include Miss Iris Baker, Mr. Hubert Langley, Mr. Fewlass Llewellyn, Mr. Geoffrey Orme, Mr. George Skillan, and Miss Marion Logan Wright.

The Welwyn Drama Festival will be held at the Welwyn Theatre, Welwyn Garden City, from Monday, June 23, to the following Thursday. The festival will consist of a competition by 15 amateur dramatic societies for the best presentation of a one-act play taking under 40 minutes to perform. In addition to the Welwyn Cup, presented by Dr. L. T. M. Gray, and other awards, a special prize is being given for the best new play. The competition will be adjudicated by Mr. Joseph Thorp, who will also give a commentary after each evening's performance. The plays to be performed include *Afternoon*, by Mr. Philip Johnson; *The Cage*, by Miss Gladys St. John Loe; *Dropping the Baby*, by Harold Chapin; *Where the Cross is Made*, by Mr. Eugene O'Neill; and *Punch and Go*, by Mr. John Galsworthy.

FUTURE ARRANGEMENTS

To-morrow.—O.U.D.S. in *Twelfth Night*, Queen's College.
Sunday.—*Faust*, Arts.
Monday.—*The Tower*, Players; *Hellas*, Rudolf Steiner Hall; *The House of Happening*, Court; *Les Sylphides*, Lyric, Hammersmith.
Tuesday.—Japanese Players, Globe; *Hamlet*, Embassy.
Wednesday.—*The Love Race*, Gaiety; *Jealousy*, Arts.
June 26.—*Sons o' Guns*, London Hippodrome.
June 27.—*Agnajanska* and *The Tragedian*, Grafton.
June 30.—*The Swan*, St. James's.

ENGLISH CHURCH ART

BISHOP OF WINCHESTER ON RECENT PROGRESS

A conference on "The preservation of the spirit of beauty in our churches" was held at the Caxton Hall, Westminster, yesterday, in connexion with the Festival of English Church Art.

The Bishop of Winchester, who presided, said that the ministry of art in spiritual things to-day was far better understood and more widely appreciated than even 25 years ago. Those who could look back over the life of the Church for 30 or 40 years rubbed their eyes almost with astonishment at the extraordinary progress that had been made, not merely in craftsmanship and on the technical side, but in the growing appreciation by the people at large of things that were good and worthy. The taste of to-day had immeasurably improved, not only on the part of those who might be called leaders, but of those who were the rank and file of the Church.

Discussing how far art at the present time had any real spiritual inspiration, the Bishop, contrasting the exhibition of Italian art at Burlington House with the Royal Academy pictures, said that, while the art of the Church was beginning to show a new and inspired life, secular art—he used the word with reluctance—was still searching for the inspiration it once had, but which it seemed incapable so far of discovering. The artists of the present day had not yet found the inspiration which surely awaited them and which the Church ought to be able to assist them to discover.

Sir Charles Nicholson, in a paper on the restoration of British churches, said England was the only country in Europe where the care of churches was left in the hands of private individuals. On the whole, they had been spared the indiscretions of a bureaucrat backed up by Government credentials, and although the arrangement had been far from perfect, it had resulted in leaving our parish churches in good repair, with their arrangements preserved.

Mr. Eric R. D. Maclagan, director and secretary, Victoria and Albert Museum, and Mr. F. C. Eeles also spoke.

THE FILMS ACT

An all-party deputation from the House of Commons had an interview yesterday with the President of the Board of Trade (Mr. W. Graham) on matters relating to the film industry. Special stress was laid on the need for the setting-up of a multi-lingual film industry in this country. Possible amendments to the Cinematograph Films Act of 1927 were considered, and it is understood that the Government are examining the whole position and hope to be able to make an announcement of their policy in the near future. The deputation, whose numbers were lessened by the all-night sitting of the House, consisted of Sir Nairn Sandeman, Sir Ernest Bennett, Mr. R. S. Young, and Mr. Geoffrey Mander.

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EVERYMAN THEATRE

"LONG SHADOWS"

By PHILIP JOHNSON

Fritz	George Merritt
Bert	Deering Wells
Girl in Crimson	Monica Disney
Girl in Yellow	Ellen Pollock
Alice	Joan Harris
Mrs. Shirley	Gertrude Sterroll
Mr. Shirley	Stanley Howlett
Andy	Leslie Mitchell
Loo	Josephine Wilson
Mrs. Lindrop	Margaret Yarde
Mr. Lindrop	H. Reyner Barton
Mrs. Dodd	Una O'Connor
Johnny Dodd	Frederick Peisley

This is one of the occasions on which criticism finds itself plunged in a seeming contradiction. *Long Shadows* is a bad, because a completely unpersuasive, play, and yet, upon the evidence of this play alone, one is forced to conclude that Mr. Johnson has it in him to be a dramatist. This clash of judgment arises from the exceptional nature of his present error—an error that he is never likely to repeat. He has allowed a phrase to dominate and direct his story, and the phrase, though arguably true when applied to the human mind considered subjectively, is evidently false in objective drama. Loo's justification of her whole action is that, when Andy destroyed her faith, he destroyed herself. The saying, if discreetly used as the key to a novelist's study of changing individuality, might open the way to a profound truth; but when it is employed, as Mr. Johnson here employs it, to explain a violent transformation of a sensitive, pious, and pure woman into a harlot, it serves only to make the dramatic action incredible and, in its strained solemnity, even a little ridiculous.

Loo discovered that her husband, a sailor, had during one of his voyages yielded to a coloured woman. That the shock of this discovery to a saintly farmer's daughter would have been great is not to be doubted, and a cautious study of its effect upon her might have been the basis of a good story. But Mr. Johnson, hanging about his neck like a millstone the idea that when faith is gone self also is gone, leaps into melodrama and is lost. When Loo ceases to be herself and becomes a hard, unsensitive tempter of men—"men" being represented by the farmer's boy—the effect upon the audience is simply that she has ceased to be credible. The powder, the fine dresses, the port wine, and the passionate allurements that accompany the fall of the farmer's boy do nothing but emphasize the extravagant and artificial violence of the transition. Certainly Loo would have been altered, but why did nothing of her former self remain to give tragic significance to the change? And why, above all, did the change in her take this shape, of all shapes the least consistent with her character as we knew it?

The play itself fails, and Miss Josephine Wilson, though she begins quietly and well, is involved in its failure. Mr. Leslie Mitchell, as the unfortunate sailor, discharges with reasonable success the task of adjusting himself to Loo's behaviour, but the best work of the evening is done in detached parts by Miss Una O'Connor and Miss Margaret Yarde. Their detachment from the central theme and their consequent success point the way to Mr. Johnson's merits. Unembarrassed by his millstone, he writes well. Then his dialogue is vigorous and he exhibits an accurate knowledge of the dramatic use of silences. He has built this play on a misleading idea, but there is ample reason to believe that, when his material is good, he will make good use of it.

THE BRITISH ACADEMY

PROFESSOR LEE'S LECTURE ON GROTIUS

Delivering the fifteenth annual lecture on a Master-Mind (Henriette Hertz Trust) before the British Academy yesterday, Professor R. W. Lee spoke of Hugo Grotius. After describing the events of Grotius's life, Professor Lee went on to say:—His abiding reputation rests upon two books: the "Introduction to the Jurisprudence of Holland," which is still a classic wherever the Roman-Dutch Law is practised, and his better-known work, "De jure belli ac pacis." Grotius did not invent international law, but he gave it a new impulse. He directed his attention principally to two questions; first, whether war is ever lawful, and if so, when; second, what is lawful in war. Under the first head he distinguished wars as just and unjust, but the modern doctrine of international law does not regard this distinction as juristically valuable.

Under the second head Grotius, like Suarez before him, pleaded for humaner usage in warfare. His influence in the field of practice has been exaggerated. At all events it was not realized until the eighteenth century, "an age in which sentiments of humanitarianism play so conspicuous a part." But be the influence of Grotius upon the conduct of warfare direct or indirect, great or small, it must be remembered that the law of nations is principally a law of peace. For more than three centuries the serene wisdom of Grotius has furnished parties to international controversies with general maxims and particular solutions, which have not always been invoked in vain. But theories pass away and practice changes. The laws of Nature, thought immutable, are found to be built upon uncertain foundations. Other times raise other problems and call for new adjustments. What remains unchanging through the ages is the beacon light of a high ideal, the inspiration of a noble purpose. These things without price Grotius gave to the world. He lives in its memory as a benefactor and a friend.

ALDERSHOT TATTOO

LARGE ATTENDANCE AND NO RAIN

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

ALDERSHOT, June 18

Although Aldershot this afternoon was the centre of a semi-circle of storm not a drop of rain fell within a radius of four miles from the tattoo arena, the turf of which is beginning to show the effect of three rainless weeks.

A broadcast notice early this evening, to the effect that the storm had left Aldershot untouched, prevented a recurrence of the previous night's disaster, when hundreds of booked seats were unoccupied apparently because the ticket holders had been alarmed by the heavy rainfall between Bagshot and London.

There were no Royal visitors to-night, but there were many parties from Ascot, and seats were occupied by six members of the Australian team—Messrs. Woodfull, Kippax, McCabe, Beckett, Kelly (manager), and Howard (treasurer).

The attendance was certainly half again as good as last night, and larger than on the second night of last year's tattoo.

NIGERIA DINNER CLUB

Marshal Lord Trenchard presided at the annual dinner of the Nigeria Dinner Club at the Waldorf Hotel last night. Lord Lugard, president of the club, sent a message regretting his inability to attend.

Replying to the toast of "Nigeria," proposed by the Chairman, Lord Passfield said that a great feature of Nigeria was its enormous growth during the last 30 years, not merely in area and population, but much more in civilization. Nigeria was the pattern State of Africa, for its roads and means of communication. Medical science had contributed greatly to the development of the Colony, and statistics showed that invalidity and mortality were one-tenth of what they were 30 years ago. Lord Passfield paid a tribute to the pioneer work of Lord Lugard and Sir Walter Egerton, and said that under the supervision of Sir Walter Egerton Nigeria furnished the best example of road development in Africa. To-day there were 2,500 European officials in Nigeria, as compared with 50 40 years ago.

Sir Frank Baddeley, Chief Secretary of the Government of Nigeria, also in reply, said that Nigeria had not escaped the results of bad trade, but by drastic cuts in expenditure they had been able to balance their Budget this year.

ART EXHIBITIONS

AN ARGENTINE PAINTER

No disrespect to Latin America is intended when it is said that the works of the Argentine painter, Mr. Benito Quinquela Martin, at the New Burlington Galleries come as an agreeable surprise, but only that we are not used to associating its people with such a combination of vigour, simplicity, and directness as he displays. Mr. Martin paints exclusively dockyards and foundries, and it is evident that he knows them "in his bones." His designs—all on a large scale—are a little posterlike and lacking in complexity, though the subject matter is complicated enough, but they are so good in balance and rhythm that this is readily forgiven.

Mainly on account of the subject matter there is a superficial resemblance between the work of Mr. Martin and that of Mr. Frank Brangwyn, but the resemblance—convenient for description—serves chiefly to point the differences. Mr. Martin is less romantic and rhetorical and more intimate in his vision of the subjects, and by means of an effective stylization he establishes a closer relation between the human and the mechanical elements of the scene. Also, it must be said, he is a less good colourist, and the most obvious defect in his work is failure to organize brighter colours into a coherent scheme. It is not that the colours are too bright in themselves but that they are apt to assert themselves independently, without reference to the composition as a whole.

Consequently the most completely satisfying of the pictures are those which incline to grey. Of these an excellent example is "Unloading Coal," in which the reduction of the figures to shorthand symbols of tense energy, in harmony with the great teeth of the coal-clutch, unifies the bustling scene. Another fine picture is "Fog in the Port," in which the atmospheric recession of the buildings gives a greater complexity to the design than Mr. Martin generally secures. If, as has been suggested, an example of his work be acquired for one of our public galleries, it might well be this one. A third very impressive picture is "Twilight in a Boca Shipyard," with a half-completed ship on the stocks in violent perspective against a sunset sky. From the conditions the paintings of foundries, such as "Filling the Castings" and "Stoking the Furnace," are more dramatic in light and shade than the dockyard subjects, but the diabolical suggestion is not overdone. Throughout Mr. Martin's work, indeed, there is an effect of something felt intensely and stated directly without any sentimental emphasis.

MISS CLO HADE

The obvious thing about the still life and flower paintings by Miss Clo Hade (Baroness Hertha Doblhoff) now on view at the Gieves Gallery, 22, Old Bond-street, is that they are the work of a very choice colourist, delighting in strange hues and subtle relations. In painting flowers Miss Hade does not depart very far from naturalism, but it is evident that she paints from a conception, which includes her own emotional reactions, and not imitatively. This gives unity to her work, the design being generally based upon some characteristic gesture of the flowers. Exceedingly beautiful examples are "Cannas," "Mauve Glories," "Cactus Flower," and "Tender Mauve." In two particulars they help to explain why the more obviously decorative designs, in flat treatment, by the same artist, are comparatively disappointing: her sense of pigment—mostly, if not entirely, applied with the palette knife—and her command of atmospheric as distinct from local colour. One feels that Miss Hade is too much of a painter to do justice to herself in ostensibly decorative designs. On the other hand the monotypes of flowers, such as "Bleeding Heart" and "Spring," are consistently charming.

Since they are shown under the same roof, in the Arlington Gallery above, a note may be made here on the water-colours of Mesopotamia, Kashmir, and the Lower Thames, by Mr. John Peake Wildeblood. Particularly when he works in a light key, as in "Woobar Lake, Kashmir," "Himalayas, Garhwal," and "Ctesiphon," he is a very pleasing artist, always making his picture out of the aesthetic rather than the topographical elements of the scene. "The Surrey Hills," "Barn at Cowfold," and "Going Home, Zabri," are three attractive works.

FALKLANDS WHALING INDUSTRY

THE VOYAGES OF THE WILLIAM SCORESBY

The ss. William Scoresby, after 2½ years' research into the habits and needs of whales in the Antarctic, has returned to London. Her work in the interests of the whaling industry of the Falkland Islands will be resumed in the autumn, and while, therefore, the work just finished does not approach finality, it is stated that some conclusions have been reached as to the length of life and the period of gestation of the whale.

Similar work is being done by Discovery II. There is also a research station at Grytviken, South Georgia, and the whole organization is being devoted to the collection of information which may save whales in the Southern Ocean from extermination and preserve the Falklands whaling industry, which has proved more productive than that of all the other whaling areas of the world combined.

In the course of her latest spell of work the William Scoresby pushed far into the ice-pack, reaching a position about lat. 70.32 south, long. 80 west. She also took Sir Hubert Wilkins and his tiny Lockheed monoplane from Deception Island as far south into the pack as possible for his aerial survey of Grahamsland, hitherto quite unknown.

Though the ship was never away from port, usually Grytviken or Port Stanley, in the Falkland Islands, for more than six weeks at a time, her work was generally arduous and often dangerous. At one time she was surrounded in the ice-pack by at least 2,000 icebergs. The worst storms and the most unpleasant experiences were met on the homeward journey in the neighbourhood of the "roaring forties." At Rio de Janeiro the vessel was eight days overdue, having fought her way through storm after storm.

Commander John Irving, who brought the vessel home, told a representative of *The Times* of her meeting with a succession of icebergs, one of them 150 miles long and 11 miles wide, the biggest ever reported, as she steamed northwards in May. One day she passed 17, and during one foggy night an iceberg, quite close, broke in two with a report like a gun. The following morning the little ship, pushing carefully through the fog, came up head-on to the great iceberg whose sides, about 350ft. high, stood up white like the chalk cliffs of Dover.

This mass of floating ice had been reported in February by the Norwegians as lying to the north of the Sandwich Islands. It had now moved many miles westwards and slightly to the north. Commander Irving guessed what he had met but could not tell whether he was on its short or its long coast. Hoping that he was following its breadth rather than its length, he sought to take shelter in its lee since a north-westerly gale was brewing. When he came to a change in its line and thought he was getting round to its lee side, he discovered that he was merely in a huge bay, harbouring half-a-dozen other great icebergs.

OMNIBUS STOPPING PLACES

The Minister of Transport announces that, with a view to the improvement of traffic conditions at congested points, alterations in the stopping places for omnibuses and tramcars at the following places have been made:—Victoria-road, Surbiton; High-street junction with Elm-road, Sidcup; Sidcup-hill junction with Cray-road; Angel-road at High-road, Edmonton; Addiscombe-road junction with Ashburton-road, Croydon; East Dulwich-grove, near Christ Church; Finchley-road, Hampstead; Forest-road junction with Palmerston-road, Walthamstow; High-road junction with Broad-lane, Tottenham; Upper Richmond-road at Clifford-avenue. The alterations are to be put into operation on June 25.

A NEW INTERCEPTOR AEROPLANE

16-CYLINDER AIR-COOLED ENGINE

Recent concentration on the interceptor type of military aeroplane, designed to climb quickly and travel fast in the bare 15 minutes that would elapse between the sighting of hostile bombers at the coast and their arrival over London, has led to the production of a new monoplane and a new engine. The publication of certain details concerning them has been officially authorized.

The aeroplane is a product of the de Havilland Company and is a single-seater, low wing monoplane, less than 25ft. in length, with a wing span of just over 32ft. With its new engine it has proved in tests to be one of the fastest military machines in the world. The Napier engine is a complete departure from usual aero engine design and particularly from the normal product of this firm. It has 16 cylinders, specially arranged to diminish the head resistance, generally so heavy in air-cooled engines. To this end the cylinders are arranged in four blocks of four each, giving the appearance of a letter H. Though the engine weighs only 620lb., it is reported as developing nearly 300 h.p.

Hitherto the Napier firm has specialized in water-cooled engines, and the new design makes this change of policy specially interesting. The de Havilland-Napier machine will be seen at the Air Force display on June 28.

CELEBRATION OF MASS ON FOOTBALL GROUND

A LETTER TO THE KING

Mr. J. A. Kensit, secretary of the Protestant Truth Society, has written to the King asking him to intervene with regard to the Mass announced to be celebrated on the Chelsea football ground, with the Bishop of London's sanction, on the occasion of the Anglo-Catholic Congress. He suggested that the King should "desire the Bishop of London to give no sanction whatever to this deliberate affront to your Coronation Oath," and should "cause the withdrawal of the announcement that the band of his Majesty's Life Guards will play in connexion with this illegal ceremonial."

Lord Stamfordham has sent the following reply:—"As the matter to which your letter refers is one in which the King cannot personally take action, I have forwarded your communication to the responsible authorities."

ENTERTAINMENTS

ROYAL AIR FORCE FLYING DISPLAY. HENDON, from noon, Sat., June 28th. WORLD'S GREATEST AIR PAGEANT. Tickets 10/- and 5/-. Reserved seats 3/6 and 2/6 extra, from Agencies or at gates. 2/- at gates only. Cars 10/- and 5/-.

DR. BARNARDO'S HOMES Founder's Day Fête, Girls' Model Village, Barkingside, Saturday, 28th June, 2-7 p.m. Susan Duchess of Somerset presides at 3.30. Sp. train L'pool-st. (No. 4 Plat.) 2.40, arr. 3.2. Adm. 1s. Tea 1s. Please purchase tickets early from Gen. Sec., 18, Stepney-causeway, E.1.

FESTIVAL OF ENGLISH CHURCH ART.
CAXTON HALL, WESTMINSTER. JUNE 19th, 1930.
2.30 p.m.—CONCERT of ENGLISH MUSIC, by the RUDOLPH DOLMELSCH Trio with Harpsichord, Viols, and Recorders.
5 p.m.—LANTERN LECTURE, "Tombs and Monuments," Mrs. ESDAILE.
(Admission to above free.)
8.30.—DRAMA, "The Pilgrim's Progress."
(Admission 7s. 6d., 3s. 6d., 2s. 4d.)

EXHIBITIONS

INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW, OLYMPIA.
JUNE 19 to 28. DAILY, 2 p.m. and 7.30 p.m. Seats from 2s. 4d. upwards, also Private Boxes booked at Box Office, Olympia (Riverside 5430), 12, Hanover-square (Mayfair 0593), and at usual libraries. 1s. 2d. seats sold at entrance.

MADAME TUSSAUD'S, Baker-street Stn. Dly., 10-10. Sun., 2-10. Latest Additions: W. M. Woodfull, Australian Captain; also Amy Johnson. Admission 1s. 3d. (including tax). Children under 12, 6d.

ROYAL SNAPSHOTS. 10-8. 1s. Sats. incl. The Exhibition in aid of King Edward's Hospital Fund. 5A, Pall Mall East (adjoining Trafalgar-square).

ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS, 9 a.m. till 8 p.m. Thurs. only till Aug. 28 open till 11 p.m. Mondays, 6d. Other days: Adults 1s., Children 6d. Aquarium, Mondays, 6d. Other days: Adults 1s., Children 6d. Free on Thurs. only after 8.30 p.m. Sundays, Fellows and Fellows' Orders only.

SWEET PEAS.—Carters Tested Seeds, Ltd., Raynes Park, London, S.W.20, invite you to inspect the Sweet Peas which are now in full bloom in the large house. Open to all. Weekdays 9-4. Saturdays 9-1. Trains every 10 minutes from Waterloo.

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ART EXHIBITIONS

ROYAL ACADEMY SUMMER EXHIBITION. Now open 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Admission 1s. 6d. Catalogues 1s. Season Ticket 5s.

FINE ART SOCIETY EXHIBITIONS.
1. REMBRANDT ETCHINGS, 1606-1669.
2. SCULPTURE by R. TAIT McKENZIE, R.C.A.
3. FLOWER PAINTINGS by CARL HAMPEL.
148, New Bond-street. Admission free.

BEAUX ARTS GALLERY, Bruton-place, W. IMPORTANT EXHIBITIONS. ARRAH LEE GAUL'S Paintings, Palestine & Near East. L. F. WARING'S Water-colours, Yugoslavia & S. Europe.

P. and D. COLNAGHI and Co., PAINTINGS by OLD MASTERS. Flowers by Orlando Greenwood. 144-146, New Bond-street, W.1. 10-6. Sats. 10-1. Free.

THE GOUPIL GALLERY, 5, Regent-street. Summer Show of *MODERN ART.*

COTSWOLD GALLERY. WATER-COLOURS by J. M. W. TURNER, R.A., COTMAN, DAYES, VARLEY, FARINGTON, &c. 59, Frith-street, Soho-square. 10-5.30. Sat. till 1.

ST. GEORGE'S GALLERY. First Exhibition in England. *GEORGES ROUAULT.* 32A, George-street, Hanover-square, W.1. 10-6. Sats., 10-5.

ARTS GALLERY, 340, Fulham-road, S.W.10. "Son of Goya," by GOYA. "MONTICELLI" masterpiece. VELASQUEZ.

Mesopotamia, Kashmir, and Lower Thames. J. P. WILDEBLOOD.
ARLINGTON GALLERY, 22, Old Bond-street, W.1.

IMPERIAL GALLERY OF ART. Imperial Institute (East Entrance), South Kensington. *CONTEMPORARY BRITISH ART.* Daily 10-5. Sundays excepted. Admission free. Closing 28th June.

PAUL GUILLAUME, BRANDON DAVIS, LTD. Paintings by MODIGLIANO, PICASSO, DERAIN, UTRILLO, &c. Paintings and Water-colours by Evan Walters. 73, Grosvenor-street (off New Bond-street).

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THE ALPINE CLUB GALLERY, Mill-street, Conduit-street, W. June 12th to June 21st. 10-6. (Saturdays included.) Admission free.

BARBIZON HOUSE.—Exhibition of Paintings, Water-Colours, and Drawings by W. G. DE GLEHN, A.R.A., 9, Henrietta-street, Cavendish-square, W.1. 10-6. Sats. to 1.

Exhibition of Works given by living British Artists in Aid of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales Fund for the British Legion.
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JONSONG PEAK BASE CAMP, MAY 31

We have crossed the Jonsong La, 20,400ft., from Nepal into Sikkim, and I am writing this in our new Base Camp, where we are preparing to attack the Jonsong Peak, 24,340ft., in an attempt to gain the highest Himalayan summit yet reached. If Kanchenjunga has beaten us we are determined to come to grips with a peak which will test the Expedition without repulsing it with hopeless difficulties and dangers.

Jonsong Peak is the northerly outpost of Kanchenjunga, and, though lower than its mighty neighbour, is a magnificent mountain and monarch of the district where Nepal, Tibet, and Sikkim meet. Our new Base Camp is situated on the brink of a glacier lake. Its deep green



waters mirror the fantastic beauties of blue ice walls towering 200ft. above. To south an unnamed glacier sweeps up to the snowy parabola of Jonsong La; northwards a wilderness of moraines falls into the brown depths of the Lhonak valley.

Jonsong La is something more than a pass; it separates two entirely different types of country. To the south Kanchenjunga precipitates rain and snow from the clouds sweeping up from the moist and heated plain of Bengal; to the north is Tibet, a land of dry winds. Over the range of snowy peaks bounding the northern side of the Lhonak valley is a glimpse of lower hills of a warm russet red, reflected in desultory clouds floating above what seems to be a land flowing with milk and honey, but which is in reality a bleak wind-swept land of bitter desolation. Lastly, above is a glimpse of our antagonist, with a broader and more comfortable summit than Kanchenjunga, yet rising in very real majesty above all the other peaks in sight.

We left the Kanchenjunga base camp on May 26 with few regrets. Kanchenjunga had almost got on our nerves. Even as we trudged up the interminable moraines leading to the Jonsong La the mountain seemed to roar at our discomfiture with ice avalanches which fell behind the grey curtains shrouding his fatal northern face. Schneider and Wieland had left two days before to reconnoitre the Nepal Gap. This important depression forms an obvious pass between the Zemu glacier in Northern Sikkim and Nepal. It had been attempted by Kellas without success, and Freshfield had commented on the possibility of crossing it.

THE GREAT PROBLEM

Meanwhile our greatest problem was crossing the Jonsong La. Freshfield, when he crossed it in 1899, commanded a small mobile party; we had 250 loads, and 80 porters to carry them. The only solution was to use relays of porters. In this we were greatly assisted by the Nepalese authorities, who supplied additional porters and food. Frau Dyhrenfurth, Richter, and Duvanel remained behind to supervise this work of looking after the three depôts necessary between the old and new Base Camps. At first it seemed that these elaborate plans must fail as many of the porters became frightened at the prospect of working so long at these inhospitable altitudes, but once more an ugly situation was tactfully handled by Wood-Johnson and a serious strike was averted.

Depôt I. was established on a grassy ledge above the moraine-covered glacier on May 24. Before us, far up the long glacier leading to Jonsong La, stood Jonsong Peak. The southern face of this presents impregnable precipices to mountaineers, rivalling those of Kanchenjunga in height and grandeur. As on Kanchenjunga, these precipices are defended by ice walls of enormous thickness, from which avalanches break away, to thunder down a thousand feet. Indeed their continuous thunder, the warmness of the air and the damp, steamy clouds veiling the sky, augured ill. According to Wood-Johnson the Monsoon was coming, and if so the situation would be serious, as one-half of the Expedition might well be stranded on one side of the pass and the other half on the other side.

As guide we had engaged the services of a *dhudwallah* or milkman of Kangbachen, who had often crossed the Jonsong La in old days when fetching salt from Lachen to Khunza. His route-finding was worthy of an Alpine guide. At Depôt I. Schneider and Wieland rejoined us. Their efforts had met with more than success, for not only had they been able to solve the problem of the pass by discovering a practicable route to the north, but Schneider had made alone the ascent of the unnamed peak, 23,470ft., to the north of Nepal Gap, which, apart from Graham's claimed ascent of Kabru, constitutes a world's record for a summit, as it is 100ft. higher than Pic Lenin, also climbed by Schneider, or Trisul, climbed by Dr. Longstaff. Truly a splendid effort, worthy of perhaps the finest young mountaineer in Europe.

SCHNEIDER'S CLIMB

Wieland was unwell and unable to accompany Schneider. Schneider's own account runs:—

After having dodged an icefall which cut across the lower part of the ridge, I found myself on a steep snow ridge. The snow was hard, but with crampons it was an easy matter. I did not have to cut any steps, and soon got to the top. It is proposed that the peak be named Nepal Peak. Champagne flowed that evening in Depôt I. The Himalaya take defeat hardly. That night they discharged a fall of boulders on the camp. Fortunately a deep snowdrift protected the tents, but Smythe came near annihilation. He says:—

"I was sleeping peacefully, as a man should sleep after champagne, when I began to dream that I was in a railway accident. The coach was just telescoping when I awoke to hear a series of crashes coming nearer and nearer. I struggled to get out of my sleeping-bag and the tent, but it was too late. From the sound I could tell that one boulder was coming directly for my tent, but I could do nothing but bury myself in the sleeping-bag. Then close outside came a mighty splash, and then silence. Next morning a small boulder was found not three yards from my tent, where it had almost ploughed through the snow drift."

This was not all, for, two days later, Frau Dyhrenfurth was also nearly killed by another fall at night.

The way to Depôt II. lay up a perfect maze of moraine, but the *dhudwallah* led up confidently to a camping site near some gigantic ice pinnacles reminiscent of the Rongbuk glacier on Mount Everest. Kurz meanwhile had gone in advance and had been able to accomplish some valuable surveying in this little known and inaccurately mapped region.

Depôt III. was established 1,000ft. below the Jonsong La. For three days we had marched over moraine, but now found ourselves on beautiful snowfields stretching gently upward to the pass. Out came our skis, and late that afternoon Wood-Johnson and Smythe skied up to the pass. It was Wood-Johnson's first time on skis and this at 20,000ft., yet he climbed remarkably well.

The evening shadows were stealing over the snow as we descended and Kanchenjunga was shaking his cloudy afternoon drapery from his shoulders to appear pure, cold, and deathlike in the afterglow. From close at hand he had appalled us, from this distance one could appreciate his beauty, and the stately sweep of his hanging glaciers with his glowing summit of pale red granite based on a pedestal of virgin snow. The wind swished in our ears, frozen snow hissed beneath the skis, the mountains on either hand moved past in stately procession as the little cluster of tents came rushing upwards. A few minutes of glorious life: such is ski-ing on the roof of the world.

RESULT OF GLISSADING

Next day we crossed the Jonsong La in perfect weather, save for a spiteful wind. The slope on the north side is steep, and ropes were rigged to assist the laden porters, but many of them, disdaining this assistance, glissaded boldly down the snow with disastrous results to their loads, which, becoming detached, rolled, bounded, and slid merrily to the bottom. In the general *mêlée* the senior typewriter and the gramophone records figured conspicuously. This message is being typed on the junior, and inefficient, typewriter; of the gramophone records only the classical ones survived, and we hunger for our foxtrots.

The ski-ing on the northern side of the pass was even better than on the southern, and experts such as Kunz and Schneider evolved miraculous patterns in perfect spring snow. But it was a very long day for the porters, who were carrying very heavy loads. We are four days' march from Lachen, and the hope of obtaining porters, food, and fuel helps us to carry on.

To-morrow Hörlin, Schneider, Wood-Johnson, and Smythe start for Jonsong Peak. Several camps will be necessary, and theirs will be a race against the Monsoon. As I write dense sullen battalions of clouds are flooding up the distant Teesta Valley, beating against the wall of peaks guarding Tibet and turning aside to invade the Lhonak Valley, but at present strong north winds still hold them in check.

By way of additional information about the Nepal Gap Schneider states that he left the Base Camp on May 25 with seven porters and food for five days. He mounted the glacier falling away from The Twins and the steep side of the glacier falling away from the small peak to the north of the pass. They camped at 17,552ft. They gained the ridge north of the pass without difficulty. The actual pass is very steep on both sides, but northwards it is easily possible to cross the frontier ridge by what we named False Nepal Gap, about 20,275ft. Schneider says that he enjoyed grand views of the Everest group.

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INDIA AND THE LABOUR CONFERENCE

SIR ATUL CHATTERJEE'S DISCLAIMER

(FROM OUR LEAGUE CORRESPONDENT)

GENEVA, JUNE 18

The International Labour Conference met to-day in full session.

Sir Atul Chatterjee (Indian Government delegate) expressed surprise and extreme regret that fellow delegates from India at previous meetings and during his absence had in certain speeches trenched on matters which were in no sense within the competence of the International Labour Conference or of the International Labour Office.

This incursion into irrelevant matters was entirely due, Sir Atul Chatterjee supposed, to the unfamiliarity of those delegates with the objects and constitution of the International Labour organization. He would content himself with saying on behalf of the Indian Government that he did not admit either the fairness or the accuracy of some of the statements which had been made. As a devoted adherent of the International Labour organization he expressed the opinion that it would be a sad day indeed for that organization when its rostrum could be used as a forum for the discussion of internal political matters having no reference whatever to the objects of the International Labour Office. Referring to the problems of the representation of the Indian States at the International Labour Conference, Sir Atul said he was sure that this matter would not be overlooked by either side in the studies now being made in Great Britain and in India regarding the Indian Constitution.

THE GERMAN CABINET

RESIGNATION OF MINISTER OF FINANCE

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

BERLIN, JUNE 18

Dr. Moldenhauer, the Minister of Finance, whom the Government Parties, especially his own, have sought to make the scapegoat for the unpopularity of the proposed income-tax levy, informed the Chancellor to-day that he had decided to offer his resignation.

The Cabinet met at once, and unanimously asked him to change his mind. As, however, Dr. Moldenhauer has adhered to his decision, the Chancellor will inform President von Hindenburg. At the moment the President is absent from Berlin, so that for the time being Dr. Moldenhauer remains in office. The Chancellor, it is understood, reserves his decision as to what he will recommend to the President. That the whole Cabinet will resign as the result of this development is unlikely.

A WORLD BROADCAST

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

BERLIN, JUNE 18

At the World Power festival to-night an almost world-wide broadcast was carried out in cooperation with the Conference of the National Electricity Association of America at San Francisco. In addition to the speeches in Berlin and San Francisco speeches were broadcast by Mr. Edison from Orange, New Jersey, by Lord Derby from Aldershot, and by Senator Marconi from London. At this end the speeches were clearly heard.

NIGERIAN APPOINTMENTS

The Colonial Office announces that the King has approved the appointment of Captain Walter Buchanan-Smith to be a Lieutenant-Governor in the Protectorate of Nigeria. When Mr. H. R. Palmer, Governor Designate of the Gambia, vacates his appointment as Lieutenant-Governor in the Northern Provinces, he will be succeeded by Mr. C. W. Alexander, at present Lieutenant-Governor of the Southern Provinces of the Protectorate, who will be succeeded by Captain Buchanan-Smith.

THE NAVAL TREATY

SENATOR JOHNSON'S DENUNCIATION

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

WASHINGTON, JUNE 18

A vigorous reply to Mr. Stimson, the Secretary of State, was delivered by Senator Johnson, of California, in a speech broadcast by 19 stations to-night. The bitterest, most persistent, and most eloquent of the enemies of the London Naval Treaty, the Senator accused Mr. Stimson of "indulging in platitudinous generalities," of "omitting a detailed explanation of the Treaty," and of displaying "an angry intolerance towards any who might not agree with him."

Senator Johnson denied that he was either an opponent of disarmament or a "Big Navy man." He was against the Treaty as an American regardful of national security and defence, as a Californian "born there and living many years abroad"—as a man "with his eyes upon the broad Pacific and a firm belief that the Pacific ultimately will be the theatre of world activity."

He began his examination of the London Treaty by a consideration of the Washington Conference. "That we were gregariously fooled then," he said, "is generally conceded now." The United States actually destroyed $100,000,000 of the taxpayers' property "when others did little in comparison." The Washington Conference "neither lifted any burden of taxation nor did it leave the relative security of the great naval Powers unimpaired, and, worse still, instead of stopping it actually started a race in competition in naval armament. And these unpalatable results of the Washington Conference are now blithely stated by the proponents of the London Treaty as reasons for *its* ratification. . . . And in 1935, if the nations meet again and our representatives adopt the theory apparently adopted by them in London, again we must yield to yet unknown and worse conditions."

In 1922, said Senator Johnson, the three-Power ratio of Five-five-three was decreed for capital ships "and accepted in principle for all auxiliary craft." The United States agreed, as the price for fixing this ratio, that it would not strengthen its bases in the Pacific. "In London, upon the demand of the Japanese, this ratio was destroyed," but the United States "still continues to pay the price of the five-three ratio." Moreover in London Japan demanded equality in submarines, and "our representatives obligingly yielded."

CRUISER PROBLEM

Then came a long exposition of the cruiser problem, as Senator Johnson sees it, with a familiar insistence on the uselessness of 6in.-gun cruisers for American purposes.

Finally he said:—"Representatives of our navy in Washington, at the insistence of our Government, and that an agreement of limitation might be reached, reluctantly agreed to the irreducible minimum of 21 8in.-gun cruisers, while asserting, nevertheless, that we should have 23. Great Britain refused to permit us 23. Great Britain refused to permit us 21. Ultimately Great Britain offered to 'permit' the United States to build 18. . . . Of course, an equivalent of 6in.-gun cruisers was offered, but these the great preponderance of naval authorities hold to be of little consequence to the United States."

He spoke of Geneva as demonstrating that Great Britain desired the United States to have for its Navy the "kind of cruisers designated by her," and of the same unvarying demand as being made by the Prime Minister in London. "We graciously yielded," said Senator Johnson, and he predicted that in the "long series of future conferences so rosily pictured by Mr. Stimson" there would be "many American cruisers cut to foreign pattern if we now accept the principle."

The Senator brushed aside all calculations of the financial saving to result from the Treaty as "arithmetical legerdemain." If the United States built up to it, the cost would be $1,071,000,000 [£214,200,000], to be spent in building in part "ships that of little benefit to us." Then there was the "escalator clause," which "makes a mockery of naval limitation," and next in order the factor of the financial supremacy of the United States. In the present situation, said Senator Johnson, neither Great Britain nor Japan is in any position economically to indulge in competitive naval building; and we fortunately in no circumstances wish to indulge in an armament race with any nation.

The Senator then came to the defence of the naval officers who had been so severely criticized by Mr. Stimson in his recent broadcast speech. "For each officer of the United States Navy who took the easier course and agreed with the Administration," said Senator Johnson bitterly, "at least six, with a courage that does them infinite credit, demonstrated the iniquity and inequity of the London Treaty." He quoted from an earlier writing of Admiral Pratt [who supports the Treaty], in which rigid maintenance of the five-three ratio with Japan was insisted upon.

As for the demand for immediate ratification, Senator Johnson declared that this was not dictated by a fear that the Treaty may become "part of a political campaign," but by a fear that it would not. It had been made "not because of its merits, but because by certain people it was deemed necessary to have the Treaty," and it thus became a "political treaty for use in the domestic politics of the nation."

To-morrow Senator Reed, of Pennsylvania, a member of the American Delegation to London, will speak over a chain of 26 wireless stations in defence of the Treaty.

JAPAN AND THE TREATY

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

TOKYO, JUNE 18

A very large crowd gathered in the square in front of Tokyo railway station early this morning to welcome home Mr. Wakatsuki, the chief Japanese delegate to the London Naval Conference. He was greeted by the Prime Minister and members of the Cabinet, and when he appeared lated on a balcony overlooking the square there were shouts of "Banzai!"

Addressing the crowd, Mr. Wakatsuki recalled the good wishes that were expressed on his departure, and added, in accordance with Japanese etiquette:—"I stand here to-day with an apology for having failed to put through the instructions of the Government in full at the London Conference. Your loyal welcome makes me feel all the more keenly my debt of gratitude to you all." He afterwards proceeded through the city amid the cheers of thousands to the Palace to pay his respects to the Emperor.

The Treaty is expected to go before the Privy Council on Monday. It is expected that they will find fault not with the Treaty, but with the Government's method of procedure.

ITALIAN DIFFICULTIES IN NORTH AFRICA

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

MILAN, JUNE 17

The Tripoli correspondent of the Turin *Stampa* says that negotiations for the return of the rebels from Fezzan who took refuge in the Algerian Sahara, are now ended. An Italian officer has gone to the oasis of Janet to arrange the final details with the French authorities, "who, like their Government, have shown themselves very friendly."

As will be remembered, when some months ago the Italians reconquered Fezzan, several rebel chiefs, with their immediate followers, took refuge in Algerian territory, where they were disarmed by the French authorities. Their presence near the Italian frontier helped, however, to keep the rebellion alive, and for this reason their submission and return were desired by the Italians.

POLISH LEGATION IN BERLIN ATTACKED

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

BERLIN, JUNE 18

A Communist demonstration occurred before the Polish Legation in Berlin this evening, during which the windows of the Legation were smashed with stones. The demonstration is assumed to have been connected, like that in Prague, with the sentences on Communists in Lemberg.

U.S. TARIFF AND FRENCH TRADE

EMBASSY'S STATEMENT

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

PARIS, JUNE 18

Although the new American tariff is expected to fall most heavily on the French textile trade, various other industries will also be hard hit. Furs, worked skins, and leather goods to the value of 200,000,000f. (about £1,650,000) were exported last year, and now face almost prohibitive duties, except where the price is already so high that an addition is hardly a deterrent to the wealthy customer.

Other products that will be affected are china and porcelain, glass, real and artificial jewelry, paper, scent and cosmetics—these reach an enormous figure—artificial flowers, and preserved food of all descriptions. So far as textiles are concerned, articles of the very highest quality, whether exported in bulk or as the product of the *couturier*, have little to fear, since here again the market depends upon customers who hardly consider price. But an enormous quantity of less expensive silks and woollens, as well as linen, has been exported in the past, and a large diminution is certain under the new tariff.

A statement issued by the United States Embassy this evening contained the following points:—

The revised American tariffs, signed yesterday by President Hoover, can have no serious effect on French exports to the United States. A careful analysis of the new tariff rates, as compared with those that have been in effect for the past eight years, demonstrates that the average increase, covering over 98 per cent. of the total value of French sales during 1928 to the United States, is only 3.55 points.

As is well known, by far the major part of American purchases of French products is of quality commodities. It would, indeed, be a very small percentage of American buyers who would desist because of such a small possible increase in costs.

In considering tariff changes, it must be admitted that almost every nation in the world is to-day operating under the protective system, and the tendency everywhere has been upwards. However, in this tariff revision the American Congress have taken advantage of the opportunity to include many administrative improvements and changes, which have in the past proven irritating and objectionable.

An outstanding feature of the new Act is the authority given the President to reorganize the Tariff Commission in order that a scientific and expeditious investigation as to the justification of the rates can be immediately undertaken.

The Belgian Government, through the Prince de Ligne, its Ambassador in Washington, has sent to the United States Government a Note protesting against the new Tariff Bill.

HOURS OF WORK IN MINES

DECISIONS AT GENEVA CONFERENCE

(FROM OUR LEAGUE CORRESPONDENT)

GENEVA, JUNE 18

The thundery conditions which have prevailed at Geneva for some days became more intense this afternoon and seemed to affect the debate in the Committee on Hours of Work in Mines of the International Labour Conference. The Committee had reached the critical point in the Draft Convention—the number of hours to be adopted as an international standard.

There were five proposals before the Committee: (1) that of the workers for a seven hour day; (2) the British Government's suggestion for a seven and a half hour day; (3) the International Labour Office's draft recommending seven and a half hours with seven and three-quarters during a transitional period; (4) the German Government's plan for a seven and three-quarter hour day and (5) that of the employers for an eight hour day.

The Workers' proposal for a seven hours day was rejected by 27 votes to 16 (the British, Bulgarian, and German Governments abstaining). The British Government's proposal shared the same fate, being rejected by 27 votes to 18, also with three abstentions. The Workers' group and the British and Dutch Governments voted for the proposal; the Bulgarian, Czechoslovak, and Italian Governments abstained, while the other Governments on the Committee voted against the proposal.

This decision was more than Mr. A. J. Cook (British Workers) could stand. He said that, the British Government's proposal having been rejected, he would rather have no convention at all than one—as suggested by the International Labour Office—which only conceded a quarter of an hour a day to the miners. The Workers' group had gone a long way towards conciliation, but they met with no response at all from employers and little from Governments. That left it for the miners to take matters into their own hands.

M. Albert Thomas, Director of the International Labour Office, regretted Mr. Cook's attitude, and urged the workers' delegates to talk over the position carefully. They should get whatever measures of uniformity they could, as this would not imperil the existence of fewer hours where they were in force, and would not hinder any action which the British miners or any other national group wished to take. Progress must be by natural stages.

The Committee then adjourned until to-morrow. Meanwhile efforts are being made to get Mr. Cook to reconsider the situation.

THE COLONIAL OFFICE CONFERENCE

SUBJECTS FOR DISCUSSION

The second Colonial Office Conference, consisting of representatives of nearly 30 Colonies, Protectorates, and Mandated Territories, opens at the Colonial Office on June 23. Lord Passfield, the Secretary of State for the Colonies, will preside.

The Conference will receive reports on the progress made since the previous Conference, which was held in 1927, and will consider certain developments which have taken place in the past three years.

During that period the Colonial Development Fund has been established, under which an amount, not exceeding £1,000,000, has been made available to aid and develop agriculture and industry in the Colonial Empire, and a progress report will be considered by the Conference. Further consideration will be given to important proposals for a combined agricultural service, which arose partly from the discussions at the last Conference on the organization of scientific services.

The question of the supply and censorship of cinematograph films has also been examined by a committee, and its report will be before the Conference. A new committee, whose creation is directly due to a recommendation made at the last Conference, has also been established to give advice on educational matters in all the Colonies.

The agenda falls under three heads—namely, development, administration of scientific and technical departments and general administration. The first of these headings covers a wide range of subjects, for example, cables and wireless communications; broadcasting; civil aviation (including air survey, meteorology, and development of air routes); railway and motor transport; films; and the development of fisheries. The second heading is mainly concerned with the organization of scientific services, including the agricultural service, though questions concerning public health and education, to which much attention is to be devoted, also come under it.

Under the third heading, the recommendations of a committee which has recently reported on the staffing of the Colonial services will be considered. That committee made an important proposal for the establishment of a unified Colonial Service, which will receive close attention by the Conference.

The Conference will devote a plenary session to discussion of conditions affecting the social welfare of the populations of the Colonies in connexion with the item "Labour organization" on the agenda. A session will also be given to the question of prison administration and methods for dealing with juvenile offenders.

CHICAGO CAMPAIGN AGAINST CRIME

PESSIMISTIC OUTLOOK

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT)

CHICAGO, JUNE 17

The resignation of the Chicago Police Commissioner, almost at the outset of the campaign against criminals, has characteristically been received almost as a matter of course. The civilian organizations directed against the "gangsters" are strengthening their forces and extending their activities.

The Association of Commerce has increased its financial backing and enlarged the *personnel* of the private force operating under the direction of "the secret six"; the Chicago Church Federation, representing the potential voting power of 500,000 churchgoers, has appointed a committee of five clergymen and five laymen which proposes to hold meetings at which public officials will be called upon to give an account of themselves. The Special Committee of the City Council is preparing a separate investigation of the relations between the police department and criminal organizations.

Mr. John H. Alcock, Deputy Commissioner, in temporary charge of the Police Department, appears to be for the moment satisfactory to the newspapers, who declare him to be a "non-political policeman." Mr. Alcock announces that he expects to be allowed to conduct the department's campaign "without interference from the mayor." The mayor, Mr. Thompson, is ill, a broken man who retains very little personal power. The small group which has assumed a sort of regency in his stead is apparently unable to agree on a nominee for permanent commissioner.

The prospects of a successful campaign against the "gangsters" are regarded with complete pessimism by a large number of people familiar with the situation. Many honestly believe that no remedy is possible except repeal of the prohibition laws and the removal of the temptations offered by the huge profits of the illicit liquor business. The situation has been made very much worse by the business depression and unemployment.

THE GRECO-TURKISH AGREEMENT

TRIBUTE TO SIGNOR MUSSOLINI

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

CONSTANTINOPLE, JUNE 18

Before the adjournment of the Grand National Assembly, which meets in Angora, the Foreign Minister, Tewfik Rushdi Bey, explained the reasons why the Government had signed the Turco-Greek agreement [which has been ratified by the Assembly by 185 votes against 15].

First, he said, it was necessary to place national interests before private ones. Secondly, it was essential to make a practical agreement, which could be quickly applied. He then paid a warm tribute to Signor Mussolini, whose friendly advice had materially assisted Turkey and Greece in reaching agreement. He also praised the neutral presidents of the Mixed Commission for their work.

Proceeding to deal with international peace and disarmament, Tewfik Rushdi Bey said that Turkey placed her confidence in treaties of arbitration, and that her policy was one of friendship and non-aggression with all countries. Alliances were dangerous things, and Turkey was opposed to them. Turkey would not recognize any decision taken in a meeting or by an institution to which she does not belong. It is to be assumed that the Foreign Minister refers to the League of Nations, and that Turkish policy towards that body remains unchanged.

ARBITRATION IN AUSTRALIA

GOVERNMENT'S PROPOSALS CRITICIZED

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

CANBERRA, JUNE 18

The House of Representatives to-day finally agreed to the abolition of the Development and Migration Commission. Although to the last Dr. Page and Mr. Latham, Leader of the Opposition, combated the proposed step, there was no organized resistance by the Opposition. The Senate had already agreed to the measure. The fact that the Commission's abolition means temporarily shelving the £34,000,000 Migration Agreement did not, apparently, influence many members in view of the need for the most rigid economy and the difficulty of raising money for urgent essential matters.

There is less likelihood that the Government's proposals for the amendment of the arbitration system [to which attention was called in the City Notes of *The Times* yesterday] will meet with such an easy passage, especially in the Senate. Mr. Latham vigorously attacked the measure in the House of Representatives this evening.

Mr. Latham charged the Government with obeying the militants' orders. The Government had received a mandate from the people to continue to enforce Federal arbitration: the Opposition would, therefore, do nothing to hamper the present system, but would carefully consider whether the proposals in the Bill were an improvement on that system. The Bill was a partisan measure heavily biased in favour of trade union officials, who were well represented in Parliament. So one-sided a measure was doomed to failure. The most important provision of the Bill was that dealing with the so-called Conciliation Commissions. The 1926 Act provided for the appointment of two Conciliation Commissioners, whose function was limited to conciliation: they had no power to do anything further, and could not make an award. The position, however, was different in the case of an arbitrator, whose functions extended to making an award binding on the parties. A complex and confusing system of controlling industrial relations had sprung up in Australia, probably without parallel elsewhere in the world except in Soviet Russia.

The best method of enforcing industrial law was not by imposing penalties for strikes or lockouts, but by giving effective protection to those who were prepared to carry on industry on the terms of awards made by the Court. The Commonwealth Government was unable to give that protection, because it did not have control of the police force. It would be in the interests of the whole community if a fresh beginning could be made, the Commonwealth retaining control only of the maritime industries, with which it could deal under its trade and commerce powers, and leaving the other industries to the control of the States.

FRENCH DEFENCE ESTIMATES

A FURTHER £8,000,000

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

PARIS, JUNE 18

As the result of the recent general examination of the question of national defence, the Government intends soon to place before the Chamber a demand for supplementary credits amounting to nearly £8,000,000 for the Ministries of War, Marine, and Air.

At the meeting of the Ministers of Foreign Affairs, War, Marine, and Air, called by M. Tardieu yesterday, a complete survey of the national forces was made. The sub-committee on national defence of the Finance Committee of the Chamber afterwards met and heard statements by the Ministers of War, Marine, and Air.

Telegrams in Brief

General Smuts has given £3,000 to the endowment funds of PRETORIA University.—*Reuter.*

As much as 14in. of rain have fallen in two days in the north-eastern area of NEW SOUTH WALES.

It is announced in FRANKFURT that an international commission for studies in motorless flight was founded on Saturday.

Mr. W. N. McKie, organist and director of music at Clifton College, Bristol, has been appointed MELBOURNE City organist.

The Hellenic Minister in VIENNA has been authorized to sign the Treaty of friendship and arbitration between Greece and Austria.

Signor Guglielmo Ferrero, the Italian historian, has been appointed Professor of Modern History at GENEVA University.

In the election for the reconstituted Municipal Council of GREATER SYDNEY the Civic Reform Party won nine seats and the Labour Party six.

SIX people were injured at NANTES on Tuesday night in a riot provoked by members of the semi-Fascist Jeunesses Patriotes, who broke up a meeting of the Radical Party.

The BELGIAN Senate has passed the Government's Bill for setting up an autonomous control of the telephone and telegraph services which are at present administered by the State.

At a meeting of Liberals in BUCHAREST M. Vintila Bratianu was invited to resign the leadership of the party, and his nephew, Professor George Bratianu, was elected his successor.

Miss AMY JOHNSON flew yesterday from MELBOURNE to Geelong, where 10,000 people were gathered to welcome her. Among gifts she received were three locally-made rugs and a gold badge from Victorian Rotarians.

At the annual Conference of the Farmers' Union in WELLINGTON all the speakers urged that increased support should be given to British manufactures, and the Conference passed a resolution calling on the Government of New Zealand gradually to reduce the protective duties imposed on British manufactures.

H.M. Stationery Office has published in a White Paper (Cmd. 3597, price 1d.), the Notes exchanged between the British and American Governments on June 5 regarding the interpretation of Article 19 of the London Naval Treaty (replacement of cruiser tonnage). The substance of the Notes was published in *The Times* of June 11.

NEW JERSEY PRIMARY ELECTIONS

MR. MORROW'S SUCCESS

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

NEW YORK, JUNE 18

Mr. Dwight W. Morrow, the retiring Ambassador to Mexico, overwhelmingly defeated his three opponents in the Republican primary elections in New Jersey yesterday, and so won his party nomination for United States senator. Mr. Morrow, who has declared himself unequivocally for the repeal of the Prohibition amendment to the Constitution, carried every county in the State.

Nearly complete returns reported to-day give him 374,276 votes, and his nearest opponent, the former governor, Mr. Franklin Fort, who ran as a "dry" with a backing of the Anti-Saloon League, 107,174. Another contestant for nomination was a former United States Senator, Mr Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, who was previously a "dry" but turned "wet" for this campaign, and made a bad third, with 43,093 votes. Mr. John A. Kelly, the fourth candidate, was nowhere.

Mr. Morrow's plurality of 267,000 votes exceeded the most sanguine expectations of his campaign managers. His victory promises to give an impetus to the anti-Prohibition cause throughout the country, for it is impressive even coming from the "wettest State in the Union." Beyond that it has confirmed the belief that he will be put forward for Presidential nomination two years hence. He is not known to be seeking office, but his candidature is almost inevitable.

Other Foreign News on following page



"THAT'S A GRANDMOTHER'S YARN," says OLD HETHERS

"... if you'll forgive my saying so, madam. I mean 'good old pearl' barley's like the good old days — out of date to my mind. You see, madam, it's this way. When you're hot and thirsty and it's the weather for long drinks, there's nothing like barley water and lemon. We're agreed on that? But, there's many hard-worked housewives who just can't be bothered to make it. And I don't blame 'em. They know no better way than stewing pearl barley. My missus was just the same — till she found out about Robinson's "Patent" Barley. It's pure barley very fine ground — and it mixes in no time — every scrap of it .... There you are, madam, see if you don't think it's the best summer drink you've met — it took my missus a few minutes where your 'good old pearl' barley would've taken her hours ....."

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EMPLOYMENT POLICY

ANOTHER DEBATE

PRIME MINISTER'S PROPOSAL

CONFERENCE OF PARTIES

WESTMINSTER, WEDNESDAY

The House of Commons, jaded by an all-night sitting, held a listless debate on unemployment to-day. The main issue was not the policy of the Government or of any party, but the prospects of an inter-party conference.

SIR AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN earned general approval for his manner of stating the Unionist case. He avoided the *tu quoque* type of argument, and reminded the Socialists of their optimism during the election only to point out that they had never even created the "organizing brain"—the Cabinet within the Cabinet—with which they had promised to deal with unemployment. Its substitute—Mr. Thomas and his tricycle of junior Ministers—had skidded and been scrapped.

An all-party conference on agriculture had been suggested by the Prime Minister. But there had already been a non-party conference on agriculture which had no sooner begun to produce informed, unanimous, and important conclusions than it was suppressed. The all-party conference on electoral reform had been slighted and superseded by backstairs conversations between the Prime Minister and Mr. Lloyd George. This was not an encouraging prelude to an all-party conference on unemployment which the same couple advocated with the transparent desire of gaining or maintaining power while avoiding or lessening responsibility.

No party had prevented the Government producing its own policy—the inference was that the Government did not themselves believe in it. They clearly had no idea beyond increased expenditure upon relief works, which had proved powerless to lower the number of the unemployed, and threatened both to pile up financial burdens and to diminish the volume of public works practicable in the future. For the first time serious unemployment was apparent in agriculture. The situation itself and the excuses of the Government were a challenge to the obsolete fiscal theories by which they were bound. The problem was to find permanent markets such as existed at home and in the Empire. The Government had made no attempt to preserve the one or to create the other. They would not even take power to negotiate for a share in foreign markets.

MR. MACDONALD'S REPLY

The PRIME MINISTER had had time since the last debate to confirm his support of the principles of Mr. Thomas and to elaborate the idea of administrative and political conferences. He therefore reaffirmed the long-distance policy of encouraging rationalization and the principle that mere expenditure was useless. But there must be a short-term policy of useful expenditure as well. Local authorities could find more work more quickly. That was why they were now conferring on programmes, the policy of transfer, and the possibility of bringing up the grants in aid of all schemes to the same level.

Having asserted the inevitability of gradualness in fulfilling the promises of "Labour and the Nation," he contended that none of Sir Austen Chamberlain's points had been forgotten. But commercial treaties concluded by the Unionists made their kind of protection of the home market difficult, and the Unionist Land Settlement Act of 1925-26 frustrated any "back-to-the-land" movement. If, as he hoped, emergency legislation proved practicable, that Act would be annulled. Empire markets were not being neglected. Good will had never been greater, and the agenda for the Imperial Economic Conference was under daily discussion with the Dominions.

It was the slump in prices which had temporarily shattered industrial confidence, and just because unemployment was due not to the Government but to a change in the circumstances of world economics, he thought there was room for an all-party conference. Such a conference would not commit any party to coalition, but would open to them all Government papers and the services of a special secretariat, under Sir John Anderson, seconded for the purpose. Decisions and executive action would remain the prerogative and responsibility of the Government, but all other people's ideas would be pooled for discussion and many of them disproved by the papers already collected. The protectionist fallacy was one, for it could be shown that protectionist countries had longer hours, lower wages, and more unemployment.

LIBERAL ATTITUDE

This sounded to the Unionists like a conference between the White Knight and the Red Queen, and it was left to MR. LLOYD GEORGE to produce evidence that their suggestions would not be prejudged. In accepting the invitation to a conference, therefore, he urged that even fiscal remedies should not be ruled out, although he could not encourage hopes of their acceptance. He added, to show his impartiality, that mere expenditure was useless, but left himself the alternative of commercially productive expenditure. This meant that borrowing could not be ruled out by the conference any more than it would be by a business syndicate exploiting the resources of the country.

To these hints of the approaching blossoming of Liberal policy COLONEL ASHLEY retorted that the openings for the construction of new and useful roads were practically exhausted and that local authorities were being hounded into extravagance. MR. MORRISON had noticed criticism of the Bath road scheme in *The Times*—"the greatest destructive force in modern journalism"—but claimed that such schemes were only sensible planning for the future.

MISS BONDFIELD said that the new Unemployment Insurance Act had taken 150,000 persons off out-door relief and put most of them on the live register, and thus helped the finances of local authorities. The total to be employed by schemes approved—when they all started—was 426,000. Training had also been expanded to meet the inevitable permanent displacement of labour from certain industries and areas. Finally, she wished to insure agriculture, so that agricultural labourers should not be led to leave agriculture for an insured industry. "Fiddling while Rome is burning," exclaimed SIR HENRY CROFT, and upon that the House divided, to defeat the Unionist motion for a reduction in the Unemployment Grants Committee Vote by 259 votes to 230.

CONSERVATIVE DECISION

INVITATION TO BE DECLINED

(From Our Parliamentary Correspondent)

After the Prime Minister had made his offer of a three-party conference on unemployment in the House of Commons last night, and Mr. Lloyd George had accepted it on behalf of the Liberal Party, the Conservative leaders met to consider the position. Though no official statement was made during the debate, it is understood that the decision arrived at was that the invitation must be declined, and a letter is to be sent to the Prime Minister explaining the reasons for the decision.

It was realized that some attempts might be made to extract political capital out of the Conservative decision, and that it would be suggested that the party had refused to cooperate in an attempt to solve the problem of unemployment when invited to do so. On the other hand, it was felt that the courageous course was to risk this criticism rather than to delude the public into believing that a solution can be found in such a gathering. The Prime Minister made it clear yesterday that safeguarding would not come within the scope of such a conference. Mr. Lloyd George suggested that nothing should be excluded and that he would be willing to consider even the question of safeguarding. He indicated, however, that the prospects of his conversion to that procedure were remote in the extreme. The Conservatives maintain, on the other hand, that safeguarding must be an integral part of any scheme to restore the country's industries, and that it would be useless to enter a conference in which two out of the three parties are known in advance to be opposed to any experiment in safeguarding. In the circumstances it is assumed that consultations between the Government and representatives of the Liberal Party will proceed, but the Prime Minister has made it plain that final decisions must rest with the Government.

THE ALL-NIGHT SITTING

To-day the House of Commons will resume the Committee stage of the Finance Bill, and another late sitting is likely in view of the slow progress which was made during Tuesday's all-night sitting—the longest since December 22, 1920, when the House sat until 1.15 on the following afternoon. The general disposition yesterday was to place a considerable part of the blame for the all-night sitting on the shoulders of Mr. Snowden, who showed no inclination whatever to placate his critics or to make the work of the House easier. It was felt that he had made a mistake in not producing the Treasury minute to which he had referred. His blunt announcement that the sitting would be continued until the House had reached Clause 27 was naturally construed as a direct challenge by the Opposition, with the result that the House had only disposed of Clause 18 by the adjournment. It could have reached this position 12 hours earlier if Mr. Churchill's offer had been accepted. Labour members complained bitterly that they had been kept at work for an extra 12 hours for no result whatever, and they urge that Mr. Snowden should be in a more reasonable mood when the Finance Bill is taken up again to-day.

Many important subjects, including the London revaluation and the position of one-man companies, have still to be considered, and there is enough material to keep the House at work for many more sittings. Labour members were suggesting yesterday that it might be necessary to introduce a "guillotine" resolution if the Conservative tactics are continued, but they have not yet realized what real opposition is. The various stages of the "People's Budget" resolutions and Finance Bill of 1909 occupied 74 days. The Budget was introduced on April 29, and the third reading was not obtained until November 2. During that time there were 549 divisions, and the closure was voted on 106 times. The Labour Party have apparently also forgotten their own obstruction of the Economy Bill in 1926, which took 82 hours of the time of the House of Commons. On two occasions the House sat until after 9 o'clock on the following morning. The Conservatives feel that the Government have little cause to be annoyed at the treatment the Finance Bill is receiving.

COAL MINES BILL

The Government are also anxious about the position of two of their other major measures of the Session. The Coal Mines Bill will come before the House of Lords again on Tuesday, when the Government will ask the Peers not to insist on their amendments with which the House of Commons has disagreed. There are reports that many of them are firm in their determination to insist on the abolition of the district levy, in which they have the support of the Liberal and Conservative Parties in the House of Commons, and the inclusion of the 90-hour fortnight as a permissive alternative to the $7\frac{1}{2}$-hour day. If they carry their point the Government will have two alternative courses—to accept the amendments under protest or to reject them and so lose the Bill altogether. The opposition to various parts of the Education Bill is becoming so acute that few members now believe it can be carried into law this Session. In the circumstances the Government may decide to drop the Bill altogether, and to introduce another one next Session dealing only with the raising of the school-leaving age and maintenance allowances, leaving the concordat to be dealt with in some other way on another occasion.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE AT WORK

THE ROAD PROGRAMME

The Committee set up on Tuesday at the conference of representatives of local authorities on unemployment met yesterday morning, under the chairmanship of Sir John Anderson, Permanent Under-Secretary of State, Home Office. The Prime Minister stated yesterday that Sir John Anderson has been seconded to preside over a special committee of Civil servants which is to deal with unemployment.

Representatives of the various Government Departments explained the steps which are to be taken to meet local difficulties and to give material assistance to the local authorities in dealing with the work before them. The Committee will meet again in a few days, and meanwhile further meetings will be held of the authorities represented by the Committee. Some of the local authorities suggest that, to expedite the road programme, the Government should agree as a temporary measure to pay the whole of the cost. It is understood, however, that both the Ministry of Transport and the Treasury insist that some share of the burden must be borne locally. The proportion of the national contribution has been as high as 85 per cent. in some cases. In the special case of the Inverness road it has reached $97\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

SIR JOHN SIMON ON INDIA

THE REPORT AND AFTER

BRITISH HELP VITAL

Sir John Simon, Chairman of the Statutory Commission, in a broadcast address on "The Problem of India"—the text of which is given on page 16—said that in no case was it more important to get some appreciation of the main facts before reaching a conclusion as to what should be done than in the case of India. It was for this reason that the Commission decided to issue its Report in two volumes—the first a survey, "as fair and impartial as we can make it"; the second, of about equal length, containing the comments suggested by the survey, and putting forward "our unanimous recommendations on all important points."

Sir John Simon drew a rapid picture of the complexities of race, religion, caste, and occupation which India presents, and said it was "extremely dangerous to form a confident judgment or to recommend a general course of treatment for India as a whole, by basing oneself on brief or partial acquaintance with Indian conditions." He paid a tribute to the Viceroy, "respected and admired for his calmness, sympathy, and courage, even by the bitterest critic of the British Raj."

After sketching the general nature of the present government of British India, Sir John Simon referred to the profound effect which the War had on India's political outlook. It should never be forgotten, he declared, that it was the teachings of British political philosophy which had developed "the powerful forces in India which go by the name of the Nationalist movement." Great as Great Britain's achievement had been, it would be "a still finer achievement to contribute our own experience and our own constructive statesmanship to the progress of India towards the goal that has been set before her." India could not reach it alone; more than ever she needed "the understanding help of Britain to achieve her ultimate destiny."

"RED" PROPAGANDA ON N.-W. FRONTIER

THE HAMMER AND SICKLE

The illustrations on our picture page this morning include a reproduction of the cover of a "Socialist weekly" printed at Peshawar during the disturbances there. Our Special Correspondent on the Frontier referred in recent messages to the unceasing dissemination of propaganda with Communist inspiration among the tribes on the Frontier, particularly by the Frontier Youth League, the official organ of which, called "Young Men Who Offer Their Heads," suspended publication owing to the Press Ordinance. This publication bore on its cover, which was bright red, the Soviet hammer-and-sickle device and the familiar motto, "Peasants and workers of the world, unite."

The publication, the cover of which we illustrate to-day, describes itself as "the only Socialist weekly paper in the Frontier Province." Its title, given in Urdu and English, is *Nau Jawan Sarhad* (*Young Men of the Frontier*). It is advertised as printed in the Laksmi Art Steam Press, Rawalpindi, "under the superintendence of Abdul Gafur Atish," whose name also appears as editor. It is decorated with figures of, apparently, two young men, one in a cocked hat, perhaps intended to represent Bhagat Singh and B. K. Dutt. "Long Live Comrade Bhagat Singh" and "Long Live Comrade B. K. Dutt" are printed on the top of the sheet. (Bhagat Singh and Dutt were the two men who threw the bombs in the Delhi Assembly in April last year.)

At the foot of the cover there are eight lines of verse in Urdu, which can be translated as follows:—

"May the blood of martyrs flow so freely in India that in every house Bhagat Singhs and Dutts may be born.

"Through shame at your cowardice and lack of zeal, India lies in the dust with her face covered with the veil of shame.

"Fear not, O young men of India, martial blows; for when does the lion of India fear the monkey of London?

"Blot out the seed of white men, drown them in the ocean, for, O my soul, youth will not come to thee again."

PANDIT MOTILAL NEHRU IN BOMBAY

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

BOMBAY, JUNE 18

Pandit Motilal Nehru, acting president of the Congress, arrived in Bombay this morning, and was greeted by immense crowds and taken to Congress House in a procession which included Mr. V. J. Patel (late President of the Legislative Assembly).

Fourteen pickets were arrested to-day, a large crowd assembling as usual in Hornby-road to witness the proceedings. There was an ugly incident when a *havildar* [a sepoy sergeant] of the Criminal Investigation Department, was attacked by the crowd and severely assaulted. The *havildar* was wearing mufti, but was recognized by the crowd owing to the fact that he was wearing a police belt.

GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY'S VISIT TO SHOLAPUR

SHOLAPUR, June 18.—Sir Frederick Sykes, the Governor of Bombay, arrived here to-day and was accorded a public reception. He made an extensive tour of the city, three miles of which he did on foot in company with the Officer Commanding and Sir J. E. B. Hotson, Home Member in the Bombay Government.

Later the Governor granted interviews to a number of leading citizens, and also conferred with business men, who are understood to have represented to him that the unsettled state of things resulting from Martial Law was seriously affecting business, and to have urged the immediate withdrawal of Martial Law. The Governor is proceeding to Poona to-night.

It is understood that after the withdrawal of Martial Law it is likely that the District Magistrate will issue an order prohibiting the flying of the Nationalist flag, probably for two months.—*Reuter.*

MADRAS CRITIC OF MR. GANDHI

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

MADRAS, JUNE 18

Mr. S. Srinivasa Iyengar, leader of the Madras Congress independent group, writes to the *Madras Mail* that he has no faith in Mr. Gandhi's political or cultural objectives, or in Mr. Gandhi's negotiations for a settlement. In his judgment, Mr. Gandhi does not stand for modern democratic and secular independence, but for religious dictatorship. He says:—

Mr. Gandhi's idea of Swaraj is mystical, and I have been against the intrusion of religious or quasi-religious motives in the Swaraj fight, and against religious dictatorship in settling what Swaraj should be. The group that rules the Congress is for Dominion status.

At about 3 o'clock this afternoon an explosion set fire to a big kerosine tank at the Burmah-Shell oil installation. The efforts of the police to extinguish the fire have so far been unsuccessful, and a large part of the city is covered with a dense pall of smoke.

RUINED DAY AT ASCOT

TORRENTIAL RAIN

MAN KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Yesterday's Ascot programme had to be abandoned for the first time in its long history after only two races—the Coronation Stakes and the Royal Hunt Cup—had been run. The course was flooded by torrential rains, which were accompanied by vivid lightning and terrific thunder. So heavy was the rain that at times it was impossible to see more than a few yards ahead. A man named Holbein, from Southport, was struck and killed by lightning while standing under an umbrella in Tattersalls' Ring. It is believed that there were no other casualties, but thousands of people were drenched to the skin, and dresses worth thousands of pounds were ruined.

There had been a thunderstorm in the early hours of the morning when the roof of one of the stands was struck, and rain was falling lightly when most of the guests were arriving before the afternoon's racing was due to begin. There was then a fine interval; but while the runners for the Royal Hunt Cup were going down to the start, and even before, rain was falling, but no one then could have dreamed of the severity of the storm which was to follow. It was not until the race for the Royal Hunt Cup was over and the horses had returned to the Paddock, and three of them, The MacNab, the winner, and the two placed horses, Grand Idol and Lionhearted, had gone into the unsaddling enclosures, that the storm's full fury was let loose. A flash of lightning was followed immediately by loud thunder. Every one who had not before got under shelter now made for cover, if he could. The few trees in the Paddock and on the Lawn quickly had many people under their branches. The visitors out on the course sheltered as best they might under umbrellas, coaches, and along the sides of motor-cars, and other carriages. They were soon soaked through. At least one Club tent, out on the far side of the course, threw open its doors to the people round about.

LAKES ON COURSE

The storm never seemed to move. The rain came down straight. The intervals between the flashes were very short; sometimes the lightning and thunder were simultaneous, or seemed to be. Yet for some time nothing and nobody seemed to have been struck. Then came the most vivid flash of all, with a terrific crash of thunder, and a man standing in Tattersalls' Ring was seen to fall. The police were beside him at once, and an ambulance was signalled for, but the signal was quickly cancelled and the man carried out. It was said that other people felt shocks. In time a slight breeze began to blow, the storm shifted, and the rain stopped. Through it all the police on duty stood to their posts admirably, wet through as they were in their capes.

When the storm had abated an Ascot was seen such as no one had ever seen before. Large lakes were out on the course, notably at the junction of the Courses and just beyond the Winning Post. Smaller pools stood in other places, and everywhere the water came above the walkers' ankles. There was another lake in the Paddock, which was almost all under water. There were lakes on the Lawns and a lagoon by the new archway leading from the Paddock to the West Car Enclosure. Nevertheless, one man had stood out in it all, in the Paddock, with his umbrella up, fascinated by the sight which, it is to be hoped, he will never see again, while the water ran over and into his shoes. He remained so motionless that it was feared that he had been struck by lightning; but when the rain was over he went off, wetter, if possible, than any one.

Then one by one, and two by two, and later in crowds out came the visitors. Some who had been lucky were almost dry; others were partly dry; others thoroughly wet. The new long dresses might now have been a hindrance, but the wearers had not worn short dresses for nothing. Up went the skirts until they were shorter than ever before. Some had been ruined, but others might be saved with care in the walk to the motor-cars and trains. Not a few were ruined on the way. Shoes and stockings availed not for the rest of the meeting, so much water was there in the Paddock and on the Lawn; indeed, in most places it was inches deep. And there was still the great lake in the Paddock to be crossed by those who would reach the West Enclosure. Chairs were brought out and a bridge was built. It would have passed no professional test, but it was better than nothing until one was half way across and the lady in front was not too certain. To hesitate was to be lost and nearly drowned; and many hesitated. As the chair legs sank in the mud there were many falls and many more dresses ruined. Even when this bridge had been crossed there was another just outside the archway into the car enclosures; it was made of little wooden boxes, none too safe. This second bridge passed, there were no dry feet, no dry or unspotted stockings, and very few unspoilt dresses.

The Stewards could not but advise the King that the rest of the programme would have to be abandoned for the day. It was decided that the Chesham Stakes and the King Edward VII. Stakes should be run on Friday, thus making nine races for that afternoon, and that the Churchill Stakes, the Bessborough Stakes, and the Fern Hill Stakes should be added to this afternoon's programme, which will now consist of 10 events. To-day racing will begin at 1 o'clock and will continue with only half-hour intervals until half-past 5, when the last race of the day, the Ribblesdale Stakes, will be run. The full programme will be found on page 6, together with our Racing Correspondent's comments on it and on yesterday's racing.

The Southern Railway Company announce that in view of the earlier start at Ascot to-day and to-morrow, an additional luncheon car express will be run from Waterloo on both days at 11.48 a.m.

CABINET COUNCIL

A Cabinet Council was held yesterday in the Prime Minister's Room, House of Commons. There were present:—

Mr. MacDonald, Mr. Snowden, Mr. Henderson, Mr. Thomas, Lord Passfield, Lord Parmoor, Lord Sankey, Mr. Clynes, Mr. Benn, Brigadier-General Lord Thomson, Mr. Hartshorn, Mr. Greenwood, Miss Bondfield, Dr. Addison, Sir Charles Trevelyan, Mr. Graham, Mr. Alexander, Mr. Adamson, and Mr. Lansbury.

R.N.R. AIDE-DE-CAMP TO THE KING

Captain C. P. Cooper, O.B.E., R.D., R.N.R., has been appointed a Royal Naval Reserve Aide-de-Camp to the King, in succession to Captain F. J. Stenson, R.D., A.D.C., R.N.R., from June 15.

WIDESPREAD STORMS

DAMAGE AND LOSS OF LIFE

DELAY ON RAIL AND ROAD

(FROM OUR WEATHER CORRESPONDENT)

Thunderstorms became more general over England yesterday, although most of the South-West counties appear to have escaped them. Further heavy rain and thunder occurred in London in the early hours of the morning, and thunder showers succeeded one another later in the day.

At Kew over three-quarters of an inch was measured, and at Kensington nearly half an inch. Thunder was reported from nearly all observing stations in the Midlands and from many in Northern England and North Wales, often without much rain, but at Cheltenham the exceptionally large total of $3\frac{1}{4}$in. was reported as the result of a prolonged and violent storm.

The barometer was still falling in most districts last night, and local thunderstorms are expected to continue to occur for another day or two, with rather high temperatures.

FLOODING IN LONDON

TRAFFIC DISLOCATED

Serious flooding and dislocation of traffic were general all over London. On the L.M.S. Railway both tracks of the electric system between Mildmay Park and Dalston were flooded in the afternoon, and traffic was suspended for nearly half an hour.

Hundreds of people were held up at Charing Cross for more than two hours through floods on the Southern Railway. Just as the rush-hour was beginning barriers were suddenly closed. No one knew what was happening until a notice was put up saying there was delay on account of flood.

There was chaos at London Bridge and Cannon-street Stations. Thousands of passengers arrived only to find that their trains were not running. London Bridge Station was still crowded at 10 p.m. Trains were running at intervals of from 15 to 30 minutes, some steam engines taking the place of the electric. After waiting in the station some minutes the trains would suddenly have their destination altered and there would be a scramble of passengers to change.

The roof of Cannon-street Station was struck by lightning.

The rain caused a complete stoppage at 5 o'clock of all electric trains on the Southern Railway between New Cross and Lewisham. A few steam trains were diverted.

The roof guttering of the Dreadnought Seamen's Society Hospital, Greenwich, was unable to stand the downpour, which caused the ceiling to come down in two wards. Patients had to be moved, but there were no injuries. The nurses' home also suffered, and the nurses had to be housed elsewhere for the night.

The basement of the Miller Hospital, Greenwich, was flooded in parts to a depth of several inches, and in the lift shaft the water was 4ft. deep. The X-ray department was affected and also the staff dining rooms and the nurses' lecture room.

Brookmill-road, which connects Lewisham with Deptford-broadway, was like a river, and vehicles were stranded axle deep.

Bermondsey Town Hall was flooded. There was nearly 2ft. of water in the basement and the electric light failed.

Among the premises flooded at Edmonton were St. Edmund's Roman Catholic Church and Rectory, and the booking-office at the Silver-street Station of the L.N.E.R.

Wood blocks were forced up in many places. At Ealing Common a flood about 2ft. deep was caused; an upheaval in Barking-road caused traffic to be diverted, and there was similar dislocation at Deptford Broadway at Forest Gate, Edmonton, and other districts. At Tottenham the paving rose round a six-wheeled omnibus and trapped it. Victoria-road, Acton, which was flooded on Tuesday night, was still impassable to traffic. The flooding of a conduit in Balham High-road caused dislocation of the tramway service.

The L.M.S. main line was flooded in Kilsby Tunnel, six miles from Rugby, and the loop line *via* Northampton was blocked by a landslip caused by the rain. The Royal Scot to London was diverted at Rugby *via* Market Harborough and Northampton.

CASUALTIES

George Seddon, a Corporation employee at Warrington, was killed by lightning yesterday.

Three men were drowned in floods in the New Mills district, 14 miles from Manchester.

Frederick Vincent, 20, of Newcastle-street, Cubitt Town, was burnt when lightning struck the railway arch at Millwall Recreation Ground under which he was sheltering. He is detained at Poplar Hospital.

John Crawford, 65, received shock and minor injuries when lightning struck a chimney of a house at Bromley-by-Bow.

COAL OUTPUT

TOTAL FOR MAY

The coal output and the number of wage-earners at the mines in Great Britain for the week ended June 7 were as follows:—

Districts	Output	Wage-earners
	Tons	
Northumberland	252,300	48,400
Durham	743,200	137,100
Yorkshire	854,300	169,200
Lancashire, Cheshire and North Wales ..	347,100	89,600
Derby, Nottingham and Leicester ..	587,000	116,600
Stafford, Worcester, Salop and Warwick	333,200	73,500
South Wales and Monmouthshire ..	923,500	172,300
Other English Districts*	110,900	24,800
Scotland	553,400	95,700
Total	4,704,900	927,200

The output for the preceding week was 4,684,300 tons, and the number of wage-earners 930,800.

The estimated quantity of saleable coal raised in Great Britain during May was as follows (the April figures are repeated for comparison):—

Districts	May	April
	Tons	Tons
Northumberland ..	1,173,700	1,047,600
Durham	3,185,500	3,016,900
Yorkshire	3,993,200	3,438,300
Lancashire, Cheshire and North Wales	1,617,800	1,540,800
Derby, Nottingham and Leicester ..	2,656,100	2,343,300
Stafford, Worcester, Salop and Warwick	1,513,000	1,399,300
South Wales and Monmouthshire ..	3,915,500	3,609,600
Other English Districts*	506,300	452,600
Scotland	2,779,300	2,858,000
Total ..	21,340,400	19,706,400

* Including Cumberland, Westmorland, Gloucester, Somerset and Kent.

COMPANY MEETINGS

Reports of the following meetings appear in our City pages:—

A.W. Second Stock Trust.
Charrington, Gardner, Locket and Co.
Forster's Glass Company.
Hovis, Limited.
Royal Mail Steam Packet Company.
Sons of Gwalia.
Tocuyo Oilfields of Venezuela.
Witan Investment Company.

SALE OF SUGAR TO RUSSIA

GUARANTEE BY BRITAIN

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT)

After somewhat protracted negotiations the sale to Russia of a large amount of Cuban sugar was recently arranged. The transaction amounts to 135,000 tons of Cuban raws at 1.56 cent. f.o.b., which has been sent to British refiners, who, in turn, and by agreement, will convert it into white sugar and ship it to Russian ports during the coming months.

The British Government has guaranteed under the exports credit scheme a substantial part of the cost, they having made the necessary financial arrangements with the Soviet Government. The balance of the necessary finance has been provided by American interests. A factory on the Clyde is now concentrating exclusively on the manufacture of this sugar. Although rumours are current to the effect that a further large quantity is likely to be sold on similar lines, no definite arrangements have been made.

EGYPTIAN CABINET CRISIS

THE KING'S SILENCE

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

CAIRO, JUNE 18

Mustafa Pasha Nahas, the Prime Minister, has not yet been informed whether the King has accepted the Cabinet's resignation, but there is a general impression that his Majesty will do so, and this afternoon the Presidents of the Senate and the Chamber were both received in audience at the Palace.

The Egyptian Press continues to comment on the political situation. *Al Mokattam* this afternoon states that in political circles it is thought that the British have had nothing to do with the crisis, and points out that the difficulties are a purely internal affair and that there will be no outside interference unless foreign interests are affected. On the other hand, *Al Ahram* this morning published an article headed "Behind the Scenes," in which it suggests that the British must be responsible for the present crisis as they have generally been responsible for most crises in Egypt.

With regard to Abbas Mahmud Effendi el Akkad's statement in the Chamber that the country was prepared "to crush the Supreme Head of Egypt," *Al Syassa* declares that this statement represents the "psychology" of the Wafd.

The Ministry of the Interior this morning telephoned to all the Mudirs throughout the country impressing on them the necessity for keeping order. From some parts of the country requests for reinforcements of police have been received.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW LOW LEVELS

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

NEW YORK, JUNE 18

More than 300 of the stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange touched new low levels for the year to-day in a torrent of liquidation that almost overwhelmed the machinery of trading. The opening was comparatively quiet, but within a short time selling increased so rapidly that the recording "ticker" fell far behind the dealings on the floor of the Exchange.

The collapse of the pools in some of the specialities and the closing out of accounts where customers were unable to supply additional funds in answer to their brokers' calls brought about some violent declines, and at one time some issues showed losses of from two to 10 points, while in other parts of the list there were losses of from 10 to 30 points.

In the last hour the market rallied and by closing time losses were on the average comparatively small. It was the most active day on the Stock Exchange since "the break" of May 5, and, perhaps, since the days of the spectacular decline last November. The turnover exceeded 7,000,000 shares.

Commodity markets, too, witnessed much forced selling, and many staple commodities, including most of the important farm products, reached new low price levels. Sugar dropped to the lowest price on record. Copper for domestic delivery touched $11\frac{1}{4}$ cents.

THE ROYAL MAIL MEETING

REPORT AND ACCOUNTS ADOPTED

The annual meeting of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company was held yesterday. Lord Kylsant presided, and the resolution that the report and accounts be adopted was carried with five dissentients, after some discussion and criticism from stockholders.

In the course of his speech Lord Kylsant reviewed the position and finances of a number of companies in the Royal Mail group. In an allusion to the national services rendered by his group, Lord Kylsant said:—

In 1919 the Treasury asked Lord Pirrie to ascertain whether Lord Inchcape, of the P. & O. group, and myself, representing the Royal Mail group, would take over at cost the British merchant ships then owned by the Government, on the basis that we should offer them to all British shipowners on these terms, it being agreed that neither Lord Inchcape nor I, nor any of our companies, would make any commission or profit on the transaction.

With the approval of my co-directors, I joined Lord Inchcape in signing a letter agreeing to this proposal, but the legal advisers to the Government informed Lord Pirrie that, as at that time I was M.P. for Chester, I could not sign this letter without causing a by-election.

Lord Inchcape thereupon very kindly agreed to the letter being torn up, and he signed a similar letter in his own name, on the understanding that the Royal Mail group would be responsible for 50 per cent. of the liability. This arrangement was carried out, and when these vessels were offered to other British shipowners very few were taken by them, and the 50 per cent. which the Royal Mail group had to take consisted of no less than 77 vessels, costing over £15,000,000.

I have always appreciated the fact that Lord Inchcape, the doyen of British shipowners, accepted my word as my bond.

Having done what the Government desired at such times of national difficulty, we not unnaturally took advantage of the financial facilities which were provided under the Trade Facilities and Loans Guarantee Acts, and which the Government were at that time anxious should be availed of as fully as possible in order to relieve unemployment.

The interest on the loans made under these Acts to the Royal Mail group of shipping companies has been regularly paid, and the total instalments of capital paid off (including three Trade Facilities loans entirely repaid) amount to over £1,700,000.

The meeting is reported and commented upon in our City columns.

FRENCH WINE CRISIS

GOVERNMENT AID SOUGHT

SATURATED MARKET

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

PARIS, JUNE 18

The sub-committee which was appointed by the Government last January to investigate the condition of the French wine industry has issued the first volume of its report. This covers the activities of the committee in the Hérault, Aude, and Pyrénées Orientales. The committee held meetings at Montpellier, Béziers, Narbonne, and Perpignan, and took evidence from the representatives of wine-growing and of commerce in general.

There is no doubt that the French wine industry is passing through a serious crisis, which, if unchecked, may even, in the opinion of observers in the South, lead to a repetition of events of 20 years ago, when the labourers from the vineyards smashed open the wine barrels in the streets and poured away the wine. Over-production was the chief cause of the crisis, and the destruction of accumulated stocks brought relief. The whole industry is already clamouring for Government help, and one hears that in some districts the Deputies and municipal councillors are to be called on to resign if something is not done quickly.

As the committee's report shows, the views and demands of the wine-growers in all the districts are substantially the same. The average home consumption of French wine is about 50,000,000 hectolitres a year [one hectolitre is about 22 gallons]. In 1929 France produced nearly 63,000,000 hectolitres, and Algeria produced nearly 13,000,000 hectolitres—a total of nearly 76,000,000 hectolitres. Last year, after allowing for foreign consumption, there was a surplus of 6,000,000 hectolitres, so that the total stock at the end of 1929 amounted to more than 80,000,000 hectolitres, or a good deal more than the market can absorb.

The result is a saturated market, falling prices, and distress among the smaller growers. Prices fell from 160f. in October, 1928, to 90f. in September, 1929, and have touched 60f. this year. The effect of this is made more serious by the rising costs of production and transport. Rail charges from Montpellier to Paris before the War were 3f. per hectolitre. They are now 25f. (or 5f. at the pre-War rate of exchange).

The wine industry is nominally protected, but costs have risen more than tariffs, and imports from abroad have increased. But the chief grievance of the French growers is against Algeria. Since 1908, the production of Algerian wine has increased by 69 per cent., while the production of French home-grown wine has fallen by 5 per cent. And the Algerian industry shows no sign of a check. It had a record vintage of more than 13,000,000 hectolitres in 1928, and one of nearly 13,000,000 hectolitres in 1929, and the French growers dare not face another such Algerian crop this year.

KING'S CUP AIR RACE

One hundred air pilots, a record number, will race round Britain for the King's Cup on July 5. They include seven Schneider Trophy pilots and seven women. The pilots include Mr. Bert Hinckler, Mr. S. Broad, Flight Lieutenant Waghorn, Flight Lieutenant Atcherley, Squadron Leader Slatter, Squadron Leader Orlebar, Lady Bailey, Miss Spooner, and Captain H. H. Balfour, M.P.

ETON COLLEGE HOLIDAYS

It was officially announced at Eton yesterday that at the request of the King, who presented new colours to the College contingent of the Officers Training Corps on Monday, an extra week's holiday would be granted. This means that the boys will return on Thursday, September 25.

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Savoy	OTHELLO	2.30 & 8.15
Shaftesbury	THE MIDDLE WATCH	2.30 & 8.30
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Tussaud's		10 to 10
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Alhambra	ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT	1 to 11
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Prince Edward	SONG O' MY HEART	2.40 & 8.40
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Weather Forecast

ENGLAND, S.E.—Light variable winds ; variable skies ; local thundery rain or thunderstorms ; local mist or fog early ; warm.

Further Outlook for the British Isles.—Mainly fair and warm. (p. 16)

TO-DAY'S NEWS

HOME

Widespread damage was done by the storm yesterday and there was a number of casualties. Traffic in London was badly delayed, particularly on the railways. (p. 14)

The sitting of the Church Assembly yesterday was occupied by discussions on three Measures connected with the exercise of patronage. (p. 11)

Mr. H. A. L. Fisher was the chief speaker last night at a dinner at Oxford to the Rhodes Scholars who have completed their residence in the University. His text was the declaration in Mr. Rhodes's will that "educational relations make the strongest tie." (p. 9)

The Senate of the University of London yesterday elected Dr. J. Scott Lidgett, D.D., Vice-Chancellor for the year 1930-31, in succession to Sir Gregory Foster, whose term of office expires on August 31. Mr. J. L. S. Hatton, Principal of the East London College, was appointed Deputy Vice-Chancellor for the same period in succession to Dr. Scott Lidgett. (p. 16)

At Sotheby's yesterday the autograph manuscript of Sir James Barrie's "Better Dead," 1887, fetched £2,400; and that of Mr. Rudyard Kipling's "The White Man's Burden," £800, both going to American booksellers. (p. 17

The Rev. W. M. Kelley, president of the Primitive Methodist Conference, addressing the Conference at Bradford yesterday, welcomed the prospect of union with the two other Methodist Churches. (p. 11)

The Royal Norfolk Show opened yesterday at Diss. The King, who was one of the largest exhibitors, won the Shire Horse Society's gold medal for Shire mare or filly. (p. 11)

The results of the Bar Examinations for Trinity Term are published. (p. 5)

The nineteenth annual International Horse Show opens at Olympia to-day. It has a record number of over 2,000 entries. (p. 11)

POLITICS

In the House of Lords yesterday discussions arose on State-aided emigration and the use of dried and tinned skim milk. (p. 8)

In the House of Commons renewed discussion arose on unemployment and the Prime Minister outlined his proposals for a three-party conference. (pp. 8 and 9)

Tuesday's proceedings in the House of Commons devoted to the Finance Bill in Committee did not end till 12.35 p.m. yesterday—a sitting of nearly 22 hours. (p. 9)

Our Parliamentary Correspondent says it is understood that the Conservative leaders decided last night to decline the Prime Minister's invitation to join in an all-party conference on unemployment and the steps to be taken to relieve it. (p. 14)

Evidence on behalf of the General Council of the Bar was given yesterday by Mr. E. A. Mitchell-Innes, K.C., before the Committee that is considering the powers of Ministers of the Crown. (p. 11)

IMPERIAL AND FOREIGN

Sir John Simon, Chairman of the Indian Statutory Commission, broadcast an address on "The Problem of India" last night. (p. 16)

Captain Walter Buchanan-Smith has been appointed a Lieutenant-Governor of Nigeria and will take charge of the Southern Provinces. (p. 13)

The Kanchenjunga Expedition, after giving up the hopeless attempt to ascend that forbidding mountain, has crossed the Jonsong La so as to attack the Jonsong Peak from the northern side. (p. 13)

A crisis having arisen in the French wine-growing industry, a demand is being made for Government assistance. (p. 14)

Mr. Latham, Leader of the Opposition in the Australian House of Representatives, yesterday strongly criticized the Government's arbitration proposals, which he described as heavily biased in favour of trade union officials. (p. 13)

The United States Embassy in Paris has issued a statement in which it says that the effect of the new tariff on French exports will be small. (p. 13)

The New Zealand Farmers' Union has passed a resolution in favour of a gradual reduction of the duties on British manufactures. (p. 13)

COURT AND PERSONAL

The King and Queen were again present at Ascot yesterday. A description of some of the dresses is published. (p. 17)

SPORT

The draw for the Lawn Tennis Championships at Wimbledon, which will be begun on Monday, was announced yesterday. (p. 6)

The first round of the Open Golf Championship was played at Hoylake yesterday, when R. T. Jones, T. H. Cotton, and Macdonald Smith led the field with rounds of 70 each. (p. 5)

Cricket was seriously held up by rain yesterday; no play was possible at Lord's, while in the match between Surrey and the Australians at the Oval Surrey had scored 140 for five wickets when rain stopped the game for the day; at Tonbridge Kent dismissed Warwickshire for 149 and then made 169 for three wickets. (p. 7)

The Royal Hunt Cup was won at Ascot yesterday by Mr. J. Dewar's colt The MacNab, who beat Grand Idol by a length, with Lionhearted third; only two races were decided owing to the heavy rain and thunderstorm. (p. 6)

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

In "City Notes" comment is made on :—The Royal Mail Meeting—Financial Arrangements ; Capital and Reserves—The Question of New Shipping—Subsidies for Foreign Lines ; the Reparation Loan ; Underwriting of Marks and Spencer Issue ; Allied Iron-founders' First Report ; Hall and Co.'s Prosperity ; Tredegar Coal and Iron Accounts ; and Cyprus Asbestos Results. (p. 20)

In Lombard-street yesterday loans were in fair supply at 2 per cent. The discount market was rather less firm, the rate for three months bills being 2 7-16-2¼. The French exchange fell to 123.79f. Bar silver weakened to 15 11-16d. per ounce. (p. 21)

A rather better tone prevailed in the Stock Markets yesterday, though prices closed below the best in most instances. Home and South American Railway stocks declined on the traffic returns. In the Miscellaneous market International shares were firm in the early dealings, but declined later. Leyland Motors were strong. Rhodesian Copper shares advanced. (p. 20)

INDIAN REACTIONS

A full week has passed since the publication in this country and in India of the first part of the Report of the Indian Statutory Commission. There are no signs of any diminution of the interest which its appearance aroused ; on the contrary it has come to be recognized everywhere in this country to be one of those great State documents which no one professing an interest in Imperial affairs can afford to leave unread. No Blue-book or official report of recent years has appealed to a wider circle of readers, and the Stationery Department and the India Office between them have incurred some not undeserved criticism for their failure to foresee a demand for this political "best seller" which has altogether exceeded the supply. The interest which it has excited is not confined to the British Empire. In France it has been studied with exceptional attention; American comment has been markedly sympathetic, and many Transatlantic newspapers have paid a tribute to the dispassionate fairness and intelligent realism of its authors. In India such unanimity was not, of course, to be expected. Apart from the fact that a comparatively small number of copies have reached that vast population, and that even the Indians who can read English easily are consequently dependent at the best on summaries which may be incomplete, at the worst on abusive caricatures of its contents, special causes have prevented the formulation of useful criticisms or critical appreciations of the first volume. It is true that in official quarters, whether British or Indian, its account of social and political conditions is considered to be a monument of industry and of accurate observation. Specialists, who are at least as numerous in the Indian services as they are in other bureaucracies, may disagree with the treatment of minor details of the background, with the emphasis laid by the authors on this point or on that ; but they accept the picture drawn by the Commissioners as a faithful and objective record on broad lines of the state of British India after ten years of the last Reforms. Professional military opinion, which is usually disposed to criticize the intrusions of politicians into its preserves, has obviously been impressed by their grasp of the essentials of the problem of the defence of India against foreign attack or internal commotion. Moslem comment, again, has generally been friendly. The recognition by the Commissioners of the historical and actual importance of the most powerful and united of the Indian minorities and their summary, unbiased by any doctrinaire prepossessions, of the case for communal representation are naturally gratifying to the Mohamedan community.

On the other hand such Hindu criticism as has been published is generally hostile. No one expected the extremists who boycotted the Statutory Commission, and hope to wreck the coming Round-Table Conference, to accept a statement of the facts of the Indian situation which differs widely from their own presentation of these facts and still more widely from their propaganda. The first volume of the Report does in fact refute the claim advanced both by the Congress Party, a body largely controlled by Hindus of the higher castes, and also by the Hindu Mahasabha—in all probability a stronger (though less vocal) organization—that India is now a "nation" in the sense in which Germany or Sweden are nations. The Commissioners, on the contrary, describe a continent with more linguistic and racial differences and deeper religious and social cleavages than Europe ; and their Chairman, SIR JOHN SIMON, laid especial stress on these complexities in the admirable if all too brief address which he broadcast last night. One of the outstanding merits of their first volume is that it furnishes the intelligent reader in this country with the means of forming a judgment of the advantages and disadvantages of accepting the Indian Nationalist contention as the basis of future constitutional change. But the leaders of the Indian Congress and the Mahasabha are not likely to engarland its authors on that account. From their point of view the greater its truth, the greater the damage to their own propaganda ; and the abler brains of these parties have left criticism for the present to the second-line politicians and to the party newspapers. Their criticisms are for the most part mere denunciations. Thus the organ of the Left Wing of the Congress Party in Madras finds that "not only considerations of national self-respect but the very nature of the Report demand that it should be dismissed without notice. No honest section of political opinion in India will attach serious importance to the Report and the recommendations"—which have not yet been published. Even the *Hindu*, a much more moderate organ, concludes that "it would be sheer madness to expect that India would consider, much less accept, any of the Commission's biased conclusions." Many similar outbursts might be quoted. Their authors sometimes have the grace to confess that they have not read the first volume of the Report, and always suggest that it is not worth reading. The Congress Party has taken its stand, until further notice, on the so-called Nehru scheme, and the word has gone round to condemn the recommendations of the Statutory Commission in advance. The first volume, being a review of the facts upon which SIR JOHN SIMON and his colleagues will base their recommendations, is therefore to be denounced or ignored.

Not all Hindu newspapers, however, show the same studied indifference. Less extreme elements, and the organ of the powerful Justice party in Madras, which is now broadening its basis to include Brahmins in its ranks, approve the criticisms of dyarchy which the Report contains, and even express the hope that the recommendations may not be so "reactionary" after all. In other quarters the recognition of federalism as the true means of Indian union is gaining ground. Very significant too, after the public declaration of many politicians that the Simon Report would be dead when published, is the demand in all parts of India for the Report. Even more than in this country, the demand has outrun the supply, and it is amusing to learn from our Simla Correspondent that some of those who boycotted the Simon Commission are now grumbling at the lack of foresight of the authorities which has prevented them from securing copies. Still, speaking broadly, the men who count for most are waiting for the second volume in a silence broken by occasional vaticinations. Behind the scenes attempts are being made—sometimes through rather unexpected agencies—to minimize its importance in advance. Stress is laid on the fact that its recommendations will not be binding upon Parliament or upon the representatives of the British Government, of the Indian States, and of British India who will take part in the Conference this autumn. No one in this country, or, for that matter, in India, ever asserted the contrary. The members of the Commission did not visit India as judges. But they did represent the three British Parliamentary parties and the two Houses ; and their agreement in their study of Indian conditions, and in their recommendations based on that study, is proportionately authoritative and impressive. It is this unanimity that gives their Report an exceptional value, and those Indian leaders who prefer to wait for the second volume might profitably employ their leisure in a critical examination of the first.

The Self-Immolators

The House of Commons rose for luncheon yesterday after discussing two of the minor clauses in the Finance Bill for nearly twenty-one hours. There is neither credit, cleverness, nor advantage in such a performance. On the contrary it reduces the House of Commons as a whole to the moral level (without the physical discomfort) of those Indian agitators who have tried to bring the public service to a standstill by prostrating themselves across tramlines for days on end. No doubt on this occasion the Opposition had very severe provocation. In the earlier stages of the debate MR. SNOWDEN refused them the traditional courtesy of producing documents to which he had referred in justification of his proposals. Late at night, in reply to a most reasonably phrased request, he announced the amount of progress which he intended to achieve in the form of a tyrannical ultimatum, unsoftened by any trace of politeness and unsupported by any sort of argument. The Opposition had therefore some *prima facie* excuse for deciding and securing that his ambition should be frustrated. But all the more because a particular Minister is too often a prey to peevishness, the ordinary machinery of inter-party arrangements should be brought into play early enough to prevent damage to the prestige of Parliament. It is nearly always possible to arrange, by previous consultation between the party Whips, that a reasonable amount of business should be transacted in accordance with an agreed schedule of times ; and such bargains when made are always loyally kept. They have a double advantage. Discussion of important points takes place at reasonable length and at a reasonable hour ; and it does not prove necessary to resort to the undesirable procedure of the guillotine. All-night sittings are sometimes necessary when there is a great deal of work to be done. They are sometimes justified by high considerations of political strategy. But on this occasion neither excuse is valid, because the Government could have been satisfied with much less progress than MR. SNOWDEN dictated and there was no other Bill down for discussion which the Opposition might have felt it their duty to delay.

New Himalayan Ascent

The Dyhrenfurth Kanchenjunga expedition have changed their address. The dispatch from our Special Correspondent published ten days ago opened with the words "Kanchenjunga "has beaten us," but ended, "We are by no "means finished with the Himalaya." That message, dated May 22, was written from the original base camp some six miles nearly due north of Kanchenjunga. To-day another dispatch, sent off on May 31 from the Jonsong Peak Base Camp in Sikkim, about the same distance farther north, gives still later news of the expedition. At the time when it was written the expedition had crossed out of Nepal by the Jonsong La, a pass 20,400ft. high at the junction of Nepal, Sikkim, and Tibet, and had established the new base camp at the foot of Jonsong Peak, the top of which is nearly 4,000ft. higher than the pass. If they have succeeded in their attempt on this mountain, on which HOERLIN, SCHNEIDER, WOOD-JOHNSON, and SMYTHE were to set out on June 1, they will have reached the highest Himalayan summit that has yet been climbed. That will be some consolation for their failure to conquer Kanchenjunga, the attempt on which had to be abandoned, almost before it had been fairly begun, on account of the constant succession of avalanches which bar the approach on the Nepal side. In spite of its lower altitude and what our Correspondent calls its broader and more comfortable summit, it seems that the work of climbing Jonsong Peak—which necessitated the establishment of several camps—was likely to prove not much less formidable than the assault on Kanchenjunga. At the best it was bound to prove a race with the monsoon, the arrival of which was so nearly due that even on the march to the Jonsong La pass there was a serious danger of its breaking before the whole party had got across. At one time there was also a risk that the porters would refuse to face the difficulties with which they were confronted, but thanks to the tact with which WOOD-JOHNSON handled the situation this particular trouble was once more averted.

When, however, the pass had been safely crossed in perfect weather, and the party had settled down in their base camp, there was a renewal of the peril from avalanches which had driven them from Kanchenjunga, and both SMYTHE and FRAU DYHRENFURTH narrowly escaped being killed by sudden falls of ice and rocks. It says a great deal for the spirit and courage of all the members of the expedition that they were still ready, after the trying experiences through which they had passed, to persist in trying to climb Jonsong La. But in any case, even if that triumph has also been denied them, they will have the satisfaction of feeling that one of their number has succeeded in making the ascent of an unnamed peak, 23,470ft. in height, which may prove to be the highest summit that has as yet been climbed by man. The peak in question lies to the north of the Nepal Gap, four or five miles from Kanchenjunga, from which it is separated by The Twins. While the rest of the party were organizing the change from one base camp to the other, SCHNEIDER and WIELAND set off to find whether there was a practicable route to the north by way of the Nepal Gap. Owing to the fact that his companion was unwell and unable to keep up with him, SCHNEIDER decided to go on alone, and it was then that he discovered and climbed the unknown crest, which it is suggested may be named Nepal Peak. A splendid effort, writes our Correspondent, worthy of the man who is perhaps the finest young mountaineer in Europe.

A Historic Ascot

The account which we publish this morning shows vividly that the Ascot of 1930 has made history, and made it as no one wanted it made. A man was killed by lightning in TATTERSALL'S ring. And with that tragedy in mind—a tragedy the more dreadful because of its setting in a scene that should be all gaiety and pleasure—no one but will be heartily thankful that even worse did not happen, especially as earlier in the day one of the stands had been struck and damaged. But the KING and QUEEN, delayed though their arrival was by a storm that broke over Windsor, reached Ascot and returned home in safety; and we are at liberty to turn with a sigh of relief to other aspects of yesterday's extraordinary weather. Those aspects are black enough. For the first time since the Ascot meeting was instituted in the reign of QUEEN ANNE, racing had to be stopped because much of the course was under water and it was too dark to see more than a few yards away. The race for the Royal Hunt Cup was run; but scarcely was it finished when the deluge began; and the other five races had to be left over for the remaining days of the meeting.

The trouble did not stop at that. Against a storm which drove into shelter even the green-coated foresters who guard the Royal Enclosure—a storm which the police, each and all, were the only people to defy unmoved and unmoving—no male dress of Ascot order could be proof. To female dress of Ascot order it meant mere ruin. And that in the very year in which Ascot dresses were once again, as in ancient days, long—some of them so long as to trail upon the ground. It is but natural to laugh at such mishaps, and we may be sure that most of the victims laughed, at any rate when the immediate struggle was over. But in truth it was, and is, no laughing matter. Women (some of them for the first time in their lives) impeded by long, wet skirts that had to be huddled up in the hand, women drenched to the skin, women all but knee-deep in water, women left shoeless in the mud, women blown or pushed off their feet or slipping off the improvised bridges of chairs and boxes and falling full length into the lakes which once were grass—before a thought can be spared to their clothes, their friends will be anxious to learn this morning that the wearers of those ruined dainties are themselves none the worse for the shock and the chill. As for the trailing skirts, the delicate shoes, the big hats—all the emphatically feminine trappings which fashion has this year chosen for beauty's frame—it is monstrous hard luck that they should have been the sport of the rude and malicious little imps of destiny. But the cloud—even such a cloud as yesterday's—may have a silver lining. The more of anything that gets destroyed, the more has to be made to replace it ; and considerable destruction of large hats and of long skirts (however caused) is probably better for trade than considerable destruction of small hats and of short skirts. As the crossword puzzle clues might put it, this untoward Ascot may be found, after all, by some to begin with an M.

DESTRUCTION OF WILD FLOWERS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—We who have at heart the protection of our countryside must all applaud the establishment of any recognized wild flower sanctuary. I quite agree, however, with your correspondents who emphasize the necessity for expert advice and discrimination in seed-sowing, and if this is undertaken it is essential that accurate records of all such sowings should be kept by responsible authorities. Unless this is done, it is inevitable that the balance of our native flora will be as seriously interfered with by the well-meaning enthusiasts as it has been by vandalism and the march of so-called civilization.

Let the praiseworthy task of re-establishment be left to the societies which are controlled by botanists and others qualified to undertake this important work (as at Hawksmoor, Selsdon, and more recently at Wanstead), and let the general public be content to respect and protect the results of their excellent efforts.

As regards uprooting, this is no longer a matter of expert knowledge or advice, but simply of obedience to the law ; for there is a by-law (already passed by some 42 councils of our counties and sub-counties) expressly forbidding the uprooting of "any ferns or other plants growing in any road, lane, roadside waste, roadside bank or hedge, common, or other place to which the public have access." The penalty for a first offence under this by-law is 40s., and for a subsequent offence £5; and I would urge that, in the interests both of the public and of our cause, this by-law should be made much more widely known through the display of suitable notices, exhibited where necessary by the local authorities.

I have the honour to remain yours faithfully,

MAURICE ABBOT ANDERSON (Founder of Flora's League, the Society for the Protection of Wild Flowers, Ferns, and Trees).

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ON GOING TO LAW

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—Some of the observations in your article "On Going to Law" re-echo the sentiments of the ancient satirist :—

Ciceroni nemo ducentos
nunc dederit nummos nisi fulserit anulus ingens.
Respicit haec primum qui litigat, an tibi servi
octo, decem comites, an post te sella, togati
ante pedes.

The business waxes in remote regions :—

Gallia causidicos docuit facunda Britannos ;
de conducendo loquitur iam rhetore Thule.

But there's a way they have in the Army :—

Ast illis quos arma tegunt et balteus ambit,
quod placitum est ipsis praestatur tempus agendi,
nec res atteritur longo sufflamine litis.

Juvenal, Satires vii., xv., xvi.

Your obedient servant,

F. J. W. FOLLIOT.

London, W.1, June 16.

THE LETTER OF THE LAW

INLAND REVENUE METHODS

REFUSAL TO REFUND TAX

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—The following example of the treatment of taxpayers by the Revenue Department may be of interest to your readers.

In April, 1926, as the result of long continued effort, we recovered *via* the Enemy Debts Clearing Office certain sums of money. The moneys so recovered were the outcome of proceedings before the Anglo-German Mixed Arbitral Tribunal in which our five clients were the claimants and the German Government the respondents. Our clients, in fact, were poor people benefiting on the death of a relative who died at Munich in 1912, and the administration of whose estate was held up by the War.

Part of the moneys so received represented "compensation for loss of user," and to that extent occasioned a claim for income-tax thereon. We contested liability both verbally and in various letters to the inspector. In spite of search, we could discover no authority for the inspector's proposition that tax was assessable, and at no time did the inspector quote any authority in support of his contention that tax was payable. In September, 1926, the inspector informed us that we must either pay or fight. We could not advise a contest with the Crown, and tax to the amount of nearly £100 was paid.

On July 5, 1929, the Court of Appeal decided, in the case of G. R. Simpson (H.M. Inspector of Taxes) v. The Executors of E. A. Bonnor Maurice (deceased) as executor of Edward Kay (deceased), reported in your issue of July 6 last, that moneys paid by way of compensation for loss of user were not liable to income-tax. We accordingly made application for return of the amount paid through us. The Revenue Department does not contend that the case in which we were concerned was distinguishable from the Bonnor Maurice case, but it refuses restitution.

It comes to this : our contention was right and the claim of the Revenue Department was wrong. Had the Bonnor Maurice case been decided three years earlier, we should have refused to pay, and the Department would not have pressed its claim. As between one man and another such a course of dealing would not be tolerated, but as between the Revenue and the taxpayer a non-existent liability (for decided cases merely declare law already existing) can be asserted and insisted upon by reason of the inability of most taxpayers to stand up to the Crown.

We are, Sir, your obedient servants,

DALSTON, SONS and ELLIMAN.

21, Southampton-street, W.C.1, June 17.

THE AEOLIAN HALL

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—The Aeolian Hall in New Bond-street is to be sold by public auction on the 30th of this month. It is a model room for chamber music and recitals, and is so much in demand that it has invariably been booked to its full capacity for many months in advance, and was actually engaged for concerts as far ahead as June of next year. All these have now, perforce, been cancelled.

London has never recovered from the sacrifice of St. James's Hall. If the Aeolian Hall is also to be lost to music, it will be little short of a calamity not only to our profession but to society in general. We earnestly appeal to some wealthy and patriotic friend, or friends, of music to come to the rescue of this concert-room, perfect for its purpose, and save it before it is too late.

We are, Sir, yours obediently,

JELLY D'ARANYI, ADRIAN C. BOULT, ERNEST BULLOCK, JOHN COATES, GERALD COOPER, H. WALFORD DAVIES, SYBIL EATON, H. PLUNKET GREENE, MARJORIE HAYWARD, MYRA HESS, HERBERT HOWELLS, HAROLD SAMUEL, MALCOLM SARGENT, R. VAUGHAN WILLIAMS, STEUART WILSON, HENRY WOOD.

June 16.

NANSEN AND HIS COMPANIONS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—In connexion with the late Fridtjof Nansen's ship, the Fram, the preservation of which is now a question of moment, may I be allowed to relate an incident which took place in 1900 ?

I am reminded of this by a small, brilliantly decorated peasant's box now standing by me. This (called in Norwegian "a Fiskетine") I obtained 30 years ago during a ramble through a forest near Skien, the native town of Henrik Ibsen. Losing my way in the dusk of a summer night, I perceived a tiny blinking light, and presently found myself at the door of a shed, where a little old woman with a lighted tallow candle in her hand was attending to some cows. "A foreign visitor at midnight," said she. "How strange. But come, I will awaken Hedemark."

Following her into the farmhouse, I found myself in the presence of lifesize portraits of Fridtjof Nansen, Captain Sverdrup, and Hjalmar Johansen, the last named having been the sole companion of Nansen on his northernmost sledge journey, who had on one occasion, by his resource and immense bodily strength, rescued him from almost certain death when attacked by a Polar bear. Lying on the table was a book entitled "Eighty-eight Degrees and Eight Minutes," of which this Hjalmar was the author, and my little old woman was his mother. Then there came into the room a tall, blonde man of splendid Northern type—Hedemark Johansen, the brother of Hjalmar. "Hjalmar is with Captain Sverdrup once more in Arctic waters," said he, "but I will show you his treasures and will then guide you home." "Here, Bella," he shouted, presently, and in leapt the sole survivor of the pack of faithful dogs which Nansen had taken with him in the Fram. After having shown to me relics of the greatest interest, he handed to me as a reminiscence of my casual visit the Fiskетine, which always recalls these memories of the far North. Hedemark, Bella, and I stepped into the dewy fields, and the two did not leave me until, at 3 a.m., I reached my lodging.

I never saw Hjalmar Johansen. That intrepid member of the Fram's crew met with a tragic death in the Arctic waters in 1913.

Faithfully yours,

ELISABETH WALLIS.

Binfield, Brunstead-road, Bournemouth West, June 15.

ANOTHER WONDERFUL CATCH

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

Sir,—Recent correspondence in your columns has reminded me of a truly wonderful catch which occurred in one of the many memorable struggles between Surrey and Yorkshire.

In a match between these counties at the Oval in the late nineties, Yorkshire took first innings on a perfect wicket. Tom Richardson was bowling to the Hon. F. S. Jackson, who was well set. Tom Hayward was fielding third man.

I was sitting near the front of the stand, which was on a line drawn from the batsman through third man to the boundary, the batsman being at the Pavilion end. Jackson attempted to drive Richardson and, failing to get well hold of the ball, skied it high over third man's head. The fieldsman immediately turned and sprinted hard for the boundary, the batsman in the meantime completing two runs and beginning a third. As he neared the front of the stand Hayward appeared to look straight up over his head and took the ball perfectly to the accompaniment of deafening applause, in which Jackson, then in the middle of the pitch, stopped and joined. Richardson took eight wickets for 108 runs. Possibly some other of your readers will recall the incident.

Yours truly,

J. DOUGLAS MITCHELL.

The Hilltop, Stocksfield, Northumberland, June 17.

THE SEA POWER OF ITALY

"MARE NOSTRUM" AND BEYOND

AN AMBITIOUS POLICY

(By Our Rome Correspondent)

No higher tribute could be paid to the greater prestige and strength which Italy has acquired during the last few years than the serious preoccupations caused by Signor Mussolini's ambitions to develop his country as a maritime Power. These ambitions are, as a matter of fact, of old standing. Before the March on Rome had imposed upon him the sobering responsibilities of office Signor Mussolini had formulated against Great Britain a policy based on the cry of "The Mediterranean for the Mediterraneans." In those days he was inveighing, not only against the "Anglo-Saxon world," but generally against the "plutocratic Western nations," and was preaching the superior advantages of trade with Russia and the Orient.

This anti-British policy was happily of short duration. The fundamental determination, however, that Italy should build up a great modern mercantile marine and that she should also have a strong defensive Navy remained unshaken and—as recent events have proved—has grown stronger with the course of years. The address which the Duce delivered in October, 1926, in the University of Perugia on the sea power of ancient Rome was no mere academic exercise. In 1927 he refused to participate in the Geneva Conference on the ground that Italy could not further weaken her naval strength in the face of Mediterranean neighbours who had not signed the Washington agreements. Since then there have been increasingly insistent references to the need of sea power. There have been repeated allusions to *mare nostrum*. Italy has been reminded again and again that her future is on the sea, and foreign Powers have been warned that Italy must not be bottled up in her own narrow waters.

THE DUCE'S CASE

It must be admitted that Signor Mussolini has a good case. With the birth of modern industrial conditions in a country but poorly provided with many of the most essential raw materials ; with the rapid growth of her population ; with the important outlet for emigration in the United States very seriously restricted ; and, finally, with the Duce's own desire to keep as many Italians as possible on Italian soil, the vital necessity to Italy of untrammelled sea communications is becoming yearly more indisputable. One of the main justifications for a strong Navy is based upon the calculation that three-quarters (24,500,000 tons a year) of the supplies upon which the very existence of the country depends come from overseas along lines of communication easily controlled from the naval bases of foreign Powers. Other statistics go to show that the Mediterranean accounts for only 14 per cent. of Italian maritime commerce, whereas 86 per cent. is outside that sea. Thus, so far as supplies are concerned, Italy is, among the greater nations, in a position comparable only with that of Great Britain and Japan.

In all the circumstances the wonder is that so "totalitarian" a State as Fascist Italy should not subsidize her mercantile marine more heavily than she does. During the last financial year 226,000,000 lire were budgeted for shipping services and 34,000,000 lire for shipbuilding, and the estimates for the current year show substantially the same if somewhat lower figures. The Italian mercantile marine, like others, has been suffering from the world crisis. There has been a diminution in the tonnage both of her sailing and steam ships, which has not been compensated by a slight increase in the tonnage of her motor ships. There has been, moreover, a falling off in shipbuilding.

All this has given just cause for reflection. Measures have, however, been taken to reduce the costs of building by the amalgamation of several important groups of shipyards, and strong efforts are being made to improve the quality of Italian shipping. One such step was the promulgation of the decree of July 8, 1929, providing for the payment of a fitting-out subsidy for vessels launched before June 30, 1938. This subsidy is commensurate with the speed of the vessel, and is based upon the building subsidy for hull and machinery. For example, a vessel with a speed of 14 knots will receive a fitting-out subsidy of 30 per cent. of the hull and machinery subsidy, and an increase is granted for every knot over 14 up to a maximum of 235 per cent. for vessels with a speed of 27 knots or over. Moreover, the period of exemption from income-tax has been extended so as to include the first 10 years of the ship's operation. Apparently the two new liners ordered by the Navigazione Generale Italiana and by the Lloyd Sabaudo will qualify for this maximum fitting-out subsidy. The Navigazione Generale Italiana liner is to be of 47,000 tons, to have a trial speed of 27 knots, and a cruising speed sufficient to reach New York in seven days ; and the Lloyd Sabaudo vessel is to be of about the same size and speed. It is perhaps worth mentioning that advice has been sought from the German constructors of the Bremen. Should shipping conditions improve in these next years, the new fitting-out subsidy may easily cost the Italian Government a large sum; but this possibility has been discounted, and the sacrifice is thought to be more than made up by the good effect it should have in preventing any further deterioration in the relative efficiency of the Italian merchant marine.

INDIA AND SOUTH AFRICA

The Government made some interesting subsidy agreements last year. There were amendments to former subsidy agreements with the Lloyd Triestino involving the services of the company to Palestine, India, and the Far East. There was also an agreement with the Societa Veneziana di Navigazione a Vapore for a fortnightly service to Calcutta—extended in some cases to Rangoon—with alternative sailings from Venice and Genoa. Another new service is that begun by the Navigazione Libera Triestina between Genoa and Cape Town. The length of the voyage is 25 days, and the vessels are of 10,500 tons, with refrigerator space for perishable goods and accommodation for about 50 passengers. This service is additionally interesting owing to the recent establishment of diplomatic relations between the Government of South Africa and the Quirinal, and as illustrating the growing importance attached by Italy to the Union. If, then, the Italian merchant marine has been passing through difficult moments, the recent debates in the Chamber have made clear the national determination to maintain at all costs services so vital to the development and very existence of the country. Nor are the clouds without a silver lining. Count Ciano, the responsible Minister, was able to assure Deputies that since January there had been once more an upward tendency in the tonnage, and that, even if the tonnage had fallen in 1929 as compared with 1928, over a million more tons of merchandise had been carried to and from Italian ports.

As in the merchant marine, so also in the Royal Navy, the efforts of Italy have been mainly directed to producing a fleet of quality rather than of quantity. Perhaps this has been a case of Hobson's choice. Numerous writers in the Press have declared that, if Italy has insisted upon her right to parity with the strongest Continental Power (*i.e.*, with France), the claim does not prejudice her right as a

sovereign Power to parity also with Great Britain or with the United States; and, indeed, that only lack of funds has prevented her from putting forward this more ambitious claim. Be that as it may, there is no doubt that during recent years the Italian Navy has made much progress both in the training of officers and men and also in technical equipment. Some of the main improvements were indicated in this year's Report on the Naval Estimates by Signor Medici del Vascello, which won the warm praise and thanks of the Minister, Admiral Sirianni. The Report spoke of a higher muzzle velocity having been given to the guns without any sensible increase in weight, thanks to the employment of very high-class steel and modern mechanical contrivances; of greater penetrating power in the shells; of a particularly efficient fuse for use in high velocity anti-aircraft guns.

Some naval engineers hold that the high power developed by the Italian steam-driven engines, their specific lightness, and their economical consumption of fuel, combine to put Italy at the head of the other nations, not one of which can rival the results expected to be given by the engines in the Condottieri class of cruisers. The Reporter also gave special praise to the Italian submarines, the perfection of which, he said, was proved by the number of foreign orders placed in Italian yards. A large number of these vessels is provided for in this year's Naval Estimates.

All this progress has been made entirely, or almost entirely, by Italy "off her own bat." Again and again the Report, in mentioning the various improvements, has added that they were designed and carried out by Italian brains, muscle, and machinery, and that Italy has now shaken herself free of foreign industry. That this should be so was obviously only a question of time. The Italian genius is nothing if not inventive. The old armed cruiser San Giorgio may not unfairly be claimed as the predecessor of the Admiral Scheer (Ersatz Preussen), and British experts have acknowledged how much the Dreadnoughts owed to the Dante Alighieri with its monocalibre armament.

NAVAL TRAINING

Side by side with improvement in the material of the Navy has gone improvement in the training and efficiency of the officers and men. A larger proportion of the total period of training is spent in actual sea time—an important measure when it is recollected that the ordinary conscript sailor serves only for two years and four months before passing into the reserve. Again, much attention is bestowed on the training establishment at Pola, where there are always some 2,000 young men being trained as seamen volunteers. These volunteers are all long-service men, and may be distinguished by the "knot of Savoy," which they wear on their left sleeves. From long-service men naturally come the brains of the lower deck, and especial care is taken that they should be instructed by capable officers.

The executive officers generally are more and more highly trained, while for some two years past the *Corpo delle Armi Navali* has provided a technical institution where selected officers devote themselves to guns, torpedoes, ordinance, and research work. The manoeuvres are now conducted on practical lines and aim at the solution of some problem instead of being merely academic exercises carried out with scant regard to real conditions of war.

Lastly, it may be mentioned that long overdue increases in pay, greater attention to physical training, and the importance now attached to ceremonial are all measures calculated to enhance the prestige, fitness, and general efficiency of the Navy.

That there are still imperfections is readily admitted by responsible Italian officers. The lack of opportunity for promotion from the lower deck to the commissioned ranks is one noteworthy source of weakness. In Admiral Burzagli, the Chief of Staff, however, the Italian Navy has found an exceptionally capable and energetic man. It is largely due to him that a stage of efficiency has been reached which commands the respect of all observers.

REOPENING OF ST. PAUL'S

SPECIAL NUMBER OF "THE TIMES"

The Dome and Choir of St. Paul's will be reopened on Wednesday next, and the King and Queen will attend a Thanksgiving Service for the preservation of the Cathedral. To commemorate the reopening *The Times* will publish next week a Special Church and Empire Number, which will also serve as a guide to the seventh Lambeth Conference, which will assemble at Lambeth Palace early in July, and as a brief survey of the work of the Churches oversea within the Empire.

The Archbishop of Canterbury will contribute to the Number a message to all Christian people emphasizing the significance of these two events in the life of the Church of England. The Number will contain a brief historical sketch, by the Bishop of Worcester, of St. Paul's Cathedral, not only as London's great church, but also in its relation to the Empire. There will follow a description of the architectural features of St. Paul's, by Mr. Mervyn Macartney, architect to the Dean and Chapter, illustrated by a drawing of the cathedral in isometric projection, reviewing Wren's work and surveying the recent work of reparation, showing what was needed and what was done. The Dean will write on the preaching tradition of St. Paul's; another qualified contributor will write on the musical tradition of St. Paul's; and St. Paul's organ will be briefly described by Dr. Stanley Marchant, the organist.

LAMBETH CONFERENCE

In another section of the Number the history of the Lambeth Conference from 1867 to 1920 will be given, together with a historical sketch of Lambeth Palace, portraits and biographical notes of the Metropolitans of the Empire who will attend the Conference, and a survey of the momentous questions which will be discussed next month. Some account will also be given of the work of the Church of England, the Free Churches, the Church of Scotland, and the Roman Catholic Church in the missionary fields of the Empire.

The Dean of Westminster will write on Westminster Abbey, with some account of the work which is carried on systematically, year by year, to maintain the fabric in a state of repair; and another notable work of church restoration, the repair of the collegiate church of St. George's, Windsor, which has taken 10 years to complete, will also be briefly described.

The Number, which will be fully illustrated, will be published, gratis, as part of the ordinary issue of *The Times*, on Wednesday, June 25.

THE PROBLEM OF INDIA

SIR JOHN SIMON'S ADDRESS

COMMISSION'S WORK

Sir John Simon, Chairman of the Indian Statutory Commission, broadcast an address on "The Problem of India" in the B.B.C. National programme last night. Sir John Simon said:—

In dealing with the vast range of problems which India presents, and with the question of its future government, it is useful to remember what was written 2,200 years ago by the wisest of the Greeks in his treatise on political science. Aristotle made the observation that it was very necessary to distinguish between these two questions:—(1) What is the best form of government in the abstract? ; and (2) What is the best form of government in the circumstances?

Aristotle's warning is not always remembered by those who discuss constitutional changes to-day, and in no case is it more important to get some appreciation of the main facts before reaching a conclusion as to what should be done than in the case of India. There is in some quarters a strong temptation to pronounce opinions on the future of Indian government on very general grounds, without sufficiently considering what the nature of the problem really is and what are the difficulties to be overcome. It was for this reason that the Indian Statutory Commission, over which I have been presiding for the last 2½ years, decided to issue its report in two parts, the first of which provides a survey, as fair and impartial as we can make it, while the second part, which is to be published next Tuesday, is a volume of about equal length containing the comments which seem to us to be suggested by this survey, and putting forward our unanimous recommendations on all important points. I am not going to attempt to anticipate Volume II. in this talk to-night. I shall have the opportunity of a second broadcast a week hence, when I will refer to it. But now I want to do what I can to concentrate public attention on some of the main circumstances which have to be borne in mind before any of us, to whatever country we belong, can form a wise judgment as to the steps now to be taken. It is impossible to put into half an hour's talk what the Commission with difficulty compressed into 409 pages of print, and I shall be very glad if the few words I am going to use now are treated not as a substitute for Volume I. but rather as a stimulus for getting a copy and studying what it contains.

The Commission has every reason to be grateful to the Press for the publicity it has given to summaries of the first volume, and, looking through these summaries, it is clear that the first main impression created is the variety and complexity of the facts. We are dealing with a densely populated part of the earth of some 1,800,000 square miles, 20 times the area of Great Britain, and containing a fifth of the population of the whole world. The bulk of this population is illiterate and follows its traditional agricultural occupation, living in the 500,000 villages of India. Indeed, in the whole of India there are only 33 towns which have a population of over 100,000. It is in these towns that are, for the most part, found the educated minority. There are the journalists, the politicians, the professional and commercial classes, above all, the lawyers, from whom are drawn the leaders and exponents of Indian political opinion.

British India (excluding the Indian States, to which I shall refer later) contains 2½ times as many people as the United States. Of its nine main provinces, Burma is larger than the whole of France; Madras and Bombay are both bigger than Italy; even the smallest of the nine (Assam) is bigger than England.

The number of vernacular languages is over 200. In many cases these vernaculars belong to entirely different families of speech, and, while some of them prevail over wide areas, they are entirely incomprehensible to people living in other parts of the country. English is a means of communication among an educated minority throughout India, but not more than 16 males in every thousand and two females in every thousand understand it.

CLEAVAGE AND CASTE

To this confusion of tongues and immensity of areas and populations must be added a diversity of races and of religions. In the case of the 163,000,000 Hindus and the 60,000,000 Moslems in British India, this diversity leads unhappily to constant tension and sometimes to violent antagonism. And there is a further sub-division, for the ancient social system of the Hindus divides them into a vast series of castes, from the Brahmins at the top to the Untouchables at the bottom. The cleavage due to caste is such that in more than one province it has been thought necessary to make special electoral provisions, to protect one group of castes from being politically swamped by others. The Commission in its Report has given the result of its inquiries into the numbers of Untouchables—or Depressed Classes, as they are sometimes called. The conclusion reached is that the number is not far short of the population of the United Kingdom. I will read a short passage from the Report which describes the general condition of these people:—

"These comprise some 20 per cent. of the total population of British India, or some 30 per cent. of the Hindu population. They constitute the lowest castes recognized as being within the Hindu religious and social system. In origin these castes seem to be partly 'functional,' comprising those who followed occupations held to be unclean or degrading, such as scavenging or leather working, and partly 'tribal,' *i.e.*, aboriginal tribes absorbed into the Hindu fold and transformed into an impure caste. Their essential characteristic is that, according to the tenets of orthodox Hinduism, they are, though within the Hindu system, 'untouchable'—that is to say, that for all other Hindus they cause pollution by touch and defile food or water. They are denied access to the interior of an ordinary Hindu temple (though this is also true of some who would not be classed as 'untouchable'). They are not only the lowest in the Hindu social and religious system, but with few individual exceptions are also at the bottom of the economic scale, and are generally quite uneducated. In the villages they are normally segregated in a separate quarter and not infrequently eat food which would not be touched by any other section of the community. A large proportion of them are landless agricultural labourers employed by cultivators for small remuneration; others of them work in big industrial aggregations. We believe it is not uncommon for a particular shed in a factory to be reserved for Depressed Class workers, though such separation cannot always be observed.

"The actual disabilities, other than religious, suffered by the Untouchables owing to their untouchability vary greatly in different parts of India, not only from province to province, but in different parts of the same province, and even sometimes in different parts of the same district. Two most widespread difficulties that arise are in connexion with water and schools. It is in many places customary for the Untouchables to be denied access to the wells or tanks used by the other castes, and great difficulty has often been found, when a new source of water supply has been provided from public funds by local authorities, in arranging for the Untouchables to have use of it. If any village draws its water from a river, the Untouchables will be required to take their supply from a different point, lower down. In many places the children of Untouchables are either excluded altogether from ordinary schools, although provided in whole or in part from public funds, or else required to sit apart. We have been told of cases in which the Untouchable child attends the lesson standing outside the school.

"The difficulty of the administrator or political reformer is much increased by the fact that the great body of the Untouchables, as yet, accept their destiny as natural and inevitable. Their state is indeed pitiable—inside the Hindu fold and yet not of it—living on the edge of starvation, and unaware of any hope of improving their lot."

DANGER OF HASTY JUDGMENT

Now the conclusion to be drawn from considering these complexities of race, and language, and religion, and caste and occupation, of which India gives so many illustrations, is that it is extremely dangerous to form a confident judgment or to recommend a general course of treatment for India as a whole, by basing oneself on brief or partial acquaintance with Indian conditions. Even those, whether British or Indian, who have spent the greater part of their lives in a particular province of India may have little or no acquaintance with other areas—with Burma, for example, which is socially, racially, and linguistically quite different from India, and has a different religion; where there has never been child marriage, or purdah, or caste, and where national characteristics are quite distinct. Again, a great many people who speak with first-hand authority of conditions in the plains or great towns of India may be quite unacquainted with the North-West Frontier, which provides one of the extraordinarily difficult problems of defence and security which the Army in India, with its 60,000 British troops and 150,000 Indian troops, has to handle. My colleagues and I well understand that even two long tours throughout so much of India cannot in themselves do more than give a series of impressions. But the claim which the Commission may fairly make for the first volume of its Report is that it is based on information prepared in each province by persons, both official and non-official, intimately acquainted with its particular problems; it has been sifted in joint consultation with the Indian Committees appointed to collaborate with it, and that the Report has been written after visiting at least once both the chief towns and some of the countryside of every province of India.

I want you, therefore, to realize that when you think of India, and try to conjure up in your minds a picture of it, you must not people it solely with types of Indians you have met or whose speeches you have read. We must, of course, pay due attention to Indian politicians and writers whose command of English enables them to present their point of view to the world. They are the spokesmen of a civilization more ancient than our own, and of races with a culture and an outlook which it behoves us all to try to comprehend better. East and West have misunderstood one another so much that the best hope for the world is that each should try to understand the other.

But it is dangerous to simplify too much about India. In thinking of the problem of India it is absolutely necessary to grasp the extent of the diversities which the Indian subcontinent presents. You must think of the Indian peasant, for over 200,000,000 get their living directly by, or depend directly upon, the cultivation of their own or others' fields. You must think of the villager, who nearly always is living in the place where he was born, who is following his traditional occupation far away from towns or newspapers, cultivating a few acres with a pair of bullocks and the help of his family, often in debt to the village moneylender through improvident outlay on the marriage of his children, valuing security and just administration and the benefits of a system of irrigation which is one of the great achievements of British rule. You must think of the Indian industrial worker, for, though India is so overwhelmingly agricultural, it is also one of the eight most important industrial countries in the world. The industrial worker is often drawn by economic pressure to the towns from the country districts, where he has left his family; he sometimes lives in deplorable conditions, though in other places great efforts are being made, under both British and Indian influence, to provide him with better housing. You must think of the hardy and fanatical tribesman on the North-West Frontier, living inside his fortified farmstead with his womenkind, tilling by primitive means a limited strip of stony ground, maintaining a constant state of feud with many of his neighbours, and always liable to be swept into a raid through the passes which have been used throughout the ages by every invader of India who has penetrated into the fat plains below.

NOBLES AND OUTCASTS

Then one must not forget the great landowners, who form a nobility which claims and exercises special authority and prestige in a society which is far from objecting to social distinctions. You must think of the 10,000,000 of aboriginals and backward tribes who have been driven long ago into the hills and forests, who follow strange customs and ancient methods of life, and are quite untouched by the advance of the modern world. You must think of the Moslem, the former conqueror of so much of the country—monotheistic, iconoclastic, anxious about his future in the midst of a population predominantly Hindu, and determined to protect his community; backward in education, even as compared with the general standard but proud of the ancient glories of his race, of their martial record, of the magnificent monuments of Mogul architecture. You must take account of the strong community of Sikhs in the Punjab. You must think of the keen and subtle intelligence of the educated Hindu, above all, the Brahmin pandit, who has shown himself in the competition of examination the equal of the best British brains, and who presents the wonderful spectacle of a man trained in the education of the West, speaking and even thinking in English, and yet feeling himself the champion and the spokesman of the aspirations of the East. You must think of the degraded and helpless lives of the outcasts, landless men, condemned to menial tasks, swept into a social and religious system which treats their lot as a natural and inevitable fate, due, perhaps, to bad conduct in some earlier existence.

Then we must not forget the women of India, so many of them living under conditions and traditions which Indian women reformers and those who sympathize with them are working so hard to improve, so that social questions like purdah and early marriage and maternal mortality, and domestic hygiene, are beginning to secure the close attention and vigorous action of Indians themselves.

You must think of India's Ministers and politicians, who have been trying, under the difficult conditions of the post-War world, to work a representative system recently established and based on Western models in circumstances of financial stringency and communal difficulty which would have tried the skill and patience of the most experienced. Then there are the officials, Indian and British, working in their districts in the fearful heat of this June weather, deciding disputes, trying to regulate disorderly crowds, sometimes exposed to every sort of misrepresentation and abuse, maintaining a tradition of disinterested devotion to the people they are trying to serve, which cannot be exceeded anywhere in the world; and you must think of the Viceroy, with the weight of his supreme task on his shoulders, respected and admired for his calmness, sympathy, and courage, even by the bitterest critic of the British Raj.

India, therefore, is not some single problem; it is a confused complication of questions which cannot be disposed of in a pose of confident omniscience, or of vague sympathy. It is a collection of problems which call for hard study and clear thinking, and the best that brains and heart can offer; the most fascinating, I think, and the most far-reaching of all contemporary questions, for upon its wise and sympathetic handling now hang issues incomparably great for the whole world.

THE TWO INDIAS

Now I am going to spend a few minutes in sketching the general nature of the present government of British India. This must, of course, be understood before anyone can consider proposals for changes now to be made. The first volume of the Commission's Report contains a full account of the structure and working of the existing Indian Constitution, and I hope all who are interested will read it. Here I can only attempt the barest outline.

The first thing to make clear is that British India is far from being the whole of India. One-third of India's area is made up by some 560 Indian States, which contain between one-fourth and one-fifth of India's total population. These States are not British territory. The relations between each of them and the British Crown may be ascertained or deduced from treaty, or other written document, or usage and agreement; but, however that may be, the Crown as Paramount Power is in each case responsible for the State's external relations and for its territorial integrity. Some of these States are countries comparable in size and importance to some European countries or a province of British India; others are much smaller; and at the far end of the scale there are tiny estates owned or shared by petty chieftains, whose properties also form no part of British India. While each State manages its own internal affairs, its external relations are in the hands of the Crown, and for international purposes, therefore, the territory of Indian States is in the same position as British India. This is one reason why India is represented at the League of Nations by a single deputation, which usually includes an Indian Prince. The Indian Princes regard themselves as allies of the King, for whose person they have a sincere veneration. Their methods of administration vary from the quasi-constitutional, in States like Mysore, to the autocratic and feudal, as in the majority of cases. The whole problem of the future relations between these Indian States and the Paramount Power is one that calls for the closest investigation, and no one can claim to understand—much less to have a solution for—the constitutional difficulties of India who has not made a careful study of the Indian States' side of the question.

Now let me turn to British India. When the British Crown took over India from the East India Company a definite policy was laid down for the administration of India by Queen Victoria's celebrated Proclamation of 1858. For present purposes, that policy can be described as that of fitting Indians to administer their own country. As years passed many Indians felt that their educational qualifications fully entitled them to an increased share in the responsibilities of administration. It was British education and British principles of policy that encouraged these ambitions, and if we put ourselves (as we are bound to try to do throughout) in the place of the Indians who felt this, we shall realize how natural the feeling was. After some 20 years a system of local self-government was introduced with a view to enabling Indians to take a larger part in administering their local affairs. This was done by establishing in each district a local board, and in each considerable town a local municipality, both classes of body being for the most part constituted on the democratic principle of elected representation. This was followed in 1892 by an enlargement of the provincial legislative councils, and the adoption of the principle of election in the choice of some of their members. There were still further enlargements of these councils in 1904. And when the Great War broke out the way was being prepared for yet further advance. But up to that date in nearly all provinces there was an official majority on these councils representing the Government.

EFFECT OF THE WAR

The War had a profound effect upon India's political outlook. It is well to recall now what Mr. Montagu and Lord Chelmsford said about this in their Report 12 years ago. They spoke of the spectacle of Indian troops going forth to fight side by side with the British Army as one that appealed immensely to Indian imagination. It was a source of legitimate pride and delight to her people that Indian regiments should be deemed fit to face the most highly-trained enemy in the world. The Indian Princes and the great landed proprietors responded splendidly from the very beginning of the War to the calls made upon them.

The causes for which the War was fought resulted in a quickening among the intelligentsia of India of a feeling of national self-consciousness, and it was in this atmosphere that Mr. Montagu, on August 20, 1917, made his momentous announcement on Indian policy to the House of Commons. That policy was declared to be "the increasing association of Indians in every branch of the administration, and the gradual development of self-governing institutions with a view to the progressive realization of responsible government in India as an integral part of the British Empire." It was declared that the progress of this policy could only be achieved by successive stages; that the time and manner of each advance could be determined only by Parliament, upon whom responsibility lies for the welfare and advancement of the Indian peoples. And it was further declared, both by Mr. Montagu and in the Government of India Act of 1919, that much would depend on the cooperation received from those upon whom new opportunities of service would be conferred, and by the extent to which it was found that confidence could be reposed in their sense of responsibility.

It was under those solemn assurances, which were accepted by all parties in Parliament, and which have since been reiterated by successive Viceroys, that the present Government of India Act was framed. That Act represented a very considerable advance indeed. In all the great provinces of India it provided that certain important departments of government, such as education and medical services and local government, should be entrusted to Indian Ministers, who were responsible to the provincial Legislatures in the same sort of way that a British Ministry is responsible to the House of Commons. The Legislatures themselves have a majority of elected members, though it has not been found as yet possible to extend the franchise to more than 3 per cent. of the population, and, even so, a large proportion of the voters are illiterate. Other departments of provincial administration were entrusted to executive councillors, whether British or Indian, chosen by the provincial Governor, and hence arose the interesting constitutional experiment which goes by the name of "Dyarchy." Whether you should spell "Dyarchy" with an "i" or a "y" is a question which scholarly people have disputed ever since, but a more important question is "How Dyarchy has worked in practice," and about this the first volume of the Report has much to say. Dyarchy was intended to give Indian Ministers direct experience in the administration of Departments, and at the same time to give provincial Legislatures training in the exercise of Parliamentary authority. In the Central Government Mr. Montagu did not find it possible to go so far in the direction of Parliamentary responsibility. But the Central Legislature is predominantly elected; 105 members of the Lower House out of a total of 140 are returned by the direct vote of constituencies, usually of enormous size, and the powers of the Assembly over legislation and finance, and its indirect influence over Government policy, are very considerable indeed.

COMMISSION'S TASK

It is the structure and the working of this system of Indian government thus set up some 10 years ago that the Indian Commission has had to investigate and describe, and my colleagues and I are called upon to report "whether and to what extent it is desirable to establish in British India the principle of responsible government, or to extend, modify, or restrict the degree of responsible government now existing." This, therefore, is the main topic of the second and concluding volume of our Report, which will be issued next Tuesday, and I hope that the contents of the volume already issued and what I have said to-night may serve as some introduction to it. The task which we have been set is admittedly a very difficult one, and there will be much discussion before a decision is reached. Both those who are anxious to see a rapid advance to more complete self-government in India and those who fear the dangers of going forward too swiftly will have much to say, and we shall find, of course, that criticism, however useful and well-informed, is easier than construction. But before we pass into the next stage of this great debate, upon the wise handling of which such tremendous issues hang, let me make one concluding observation.

The desire to advance towards self-government, which is so deeply felt and so fervently expressed by the spokesmen of political India, is but a reflection of the belief held by Englishmen in the virtues of responsible institutions as they have been developed in the course of the history of the British Empire. It is true that the lesson could be wisely applied in India by understanding and providing for the very special circumstances of the Indian case. It is true that many Indian statesmen tend to disregard or to minimize the enormous difficulties to be overcome in the case of India. But the growth of this belief in self-government in so many Indian minds and of the hope that it may one day be attained is in itself an achievement brought about by the power of an idea which Britain has spread throughout the world, and which is Britain's greatest contribution to the art of government. We Britishers should never forget that it is the teachings of our own political philosophy, the spread of a knowledge of our own literature, and the deliberate declarations of our own statesmen, which have developed the powerful forces in India which go by the name of the Nationalist movement. It is only folly and ignorance to pretend that the coming of Britain to India did not confer upon that distracted continent many things which it seemed utterly to have lost, and no serious student can deny the greatness of the achievement which Britain has thus accomplished. But it would be a still finer achievement to contribute our own experience and our own constructive statesmanship to the progress of India towards the goal that has been set before her. She cannot reach it alone; she cannot arrive at self-government through chaos, for self-government is a form of government; she cannot reach it by repeating some general formula without facing and overcoming the difficulties which a mere formula does nothing to remove.

Great as has been the contribution which Britain has already made to India's material progress, India now needs more than ever the understanding help of Britain to achieve her ultimate destiny. If she will cooperate in the task, we in Britain have a contribution to make which we must make with sympathy, friendship, and understanding.

ST. EDWARD'S SCHOOL

At the St. Edward's School commemoration at Oxford yesterday the Vice-Chancellor of Oxford University (Dr. F. Homes Dudden) distributed the prizes. He said the old-fashioned method of teaching was stern and drastic. Knowledge was literally beaten in. The modern method was to make learning as easy, as interesting, as pleasurable as possible, and so engender an enthusiasm which should endure long after the school discipline was over. He sometimes wondered whether we were not going just a little too far in that direction. There was a danger that the new method might tend to weaken the student's will power before tasks which required steady and concentrated application. It still remained the truth that learning must involve a severe intellectual discipline and a cheerful acceptance of arduous work.

THE PRINCE OF WALES AND WORKSOP COLLEGE

The announcement that the Prince of Wales would probably open the two new wings of Workshop College was made by the headmaster, the Rev. F. J. Shirley, at the prize distribution yesterday. The headmaster of Charterhouse (Mr. Frank Fletcher) presented the prizes, and the commemoration service sermon was preached by the Bishop of Middleton.

UNIVERSITY NEWS

CAMBRIDGE TRIPOS LIST

DR. J. SCOTT LIDGETT'S APPOINTMENT

OXFORD, JUNE 18

The Rev. W. F. Stead has been elected to an official Fellowship as chaplain at Worcester College.

CAMBRIDGE, JUNE 18

The following Tripos List was issued today:—

ENGLISH TRIPOS, PART II.

CLASS I.—LAING, W., Barnard Castle and Pemb.
CLASS II.—Division 1.—BARRETT, T. K., Trin.; CANN, M. R. M., Cath.; COOKE, A., Jes.; PINION, F. B., Non-Coll.; SEMPLE, R. H., Joh. Division 2.—BHARVANI, H. S., Cai.; CARY, W. H., Emm.; COOMBES, H., Queens'; ENSOR, A. H., Non-Coll.; EVANS, H. S., Cath.; GORDON, M. S., Trin.; GRIGGS, H. W., Jes.; MCLEAN, G. R. D., Christ's; SPENCER, W. S., Emm.; DE THOMPSON, A. D. H., Joh.; THOMPSON, F. Y., Cath.; WHITFELD, H. F. H., Non-Coll.
CLASS III.—BOLTON, F. R., Non-Coll.; DAVIDSON, J. N. G., Cath.; JONES, G. Lewis, Christ's; NEWBOULD, F. B., Trin.

WOMEN

CLASS I.—BRADBROOK, M. C., Wallasey and Girt.; SHEARD, E. M., Bradford and Girt.
CLASS II.—Division 1.—BULL, F. M., Newn.; JOHNSON, T. R., Newn.; LYNE, M. R., Newn.; MITCHELL, E. B., Girt.; PICOT, F. M., Girt.; WISHART, A. G., Newn. Division 2.—BEITH, E. B. J., Girt.; BROWN, A. B., Girt.; HUSSEY, N. G., Newn.; JUKES, E., Girt.; MATTHEWS, M. A. M., Girt.; NAPIER, M., Newn.; OWEN, N., Girt.; PETERS, S., Girt.; THORNTON, P. N., Newn.; TUNNICLIFFE, G. M., Newn.
CLASS III.—LITTLE, M. M., Girt.

APPROVED FOR DEGREES

The Board of Research Studies approve the following:—

D.D.—J. M. CREED, B.D., Joh.
LITT.D.—H. J. CHAYTOR, M.A., Cath.
PH.D.—Abul Ela AFFIFI, B.A., Non-Coll.; F. L. ARNOT, H. M. CAVE, and N. A. DE BRUYNE, M.A., Trin.; R. O. REDMAN, M.A., L. ROSENHEAD, and J. G. SEMPLE, B.A., Joh.; P. WHITE, B.A., Cla.; E. B. WORTHINGTON, M.A., Cai.; C. G. LYONS, B.A., Trin. H.; G. C. MCVITTIE, C. P. SNOW, and G. N. TUCKER, Christ's; S. VERBLUNSKY, B.A., Magd.; J. G. A. GRIFFITHS, B.A., A. G. HUTCHISON, C. A. LEA, J. V. L. RENNIE, and G. WALKER, Emm.; and A. R. CLAPHAM, M.A., Down.

APPROVED FOR TITLES OF DEGREES

The Board of Research Studies approve the following:—

PH.D.—I. MANTON, B.A., Girt.
M.LITT.—M. E. TAYLOR, Girt.

B. E. King, B.A., of Pembroke College, has been elected to a Whewell Scholarship mainly in International Law, value £50. The Bendall Sanskrit Exhibition, value about £49, for one year, has been awarded to C. B. Firth, B.A., Non-Collegiate.

NEW VICE-CHANCELLOR

LONDON, JUNE 18

At a meeting of the Senate held this afternoon Dr. J. Scott Lidgett, D.D., M.A., was elected Vice-Chancellor for the year 1930-31 in succession to Sir Gregory Foster, Bt., whose term of office expires on August 31. Mr. J. L. S. Hatton, M.A., Principal of the East London College, was appointed Deputy Vice-Chancellor for the same period in succession to Dr. Scott Lidgett.

Professor H. Pirenne, of the University of Ghent, has been appointed Creighton Lecturer for the year 1930-31. The lecture, entitled "La révolution belge de 1830," will be delivered at Bedford College during the Michaelmas Term.

The newly-established University Chair of American History at University College, endowed by the Commonwealth Fund and other benefactors, has been filled by the appointment of Mr. H. H. Bellot, M.A. (Oxford), now Reader in Modern History at the University of Manchester.

New Professors were appointed to University Chairs as follows:—

Bacteriology (University College Hospital Medical School).—Mr. C. Cyril Okell, M.C., B.A., M.B., B.Ch. (Cambridge), M.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., D.P.H. Chemistry (University College).—Professor C. K. Ingold, D.Sc. (London), A.R.C.S., F.R.S., now Professor of Organic Chemistry in the University of Leeds. English Law (London School of Economics).—Mr. D. H. Parry, B.A. (Wales), M.A., LL.B. (Cambridge). Geography (Birkbeck College).—Miss E. G. R. Taylor, D.Sc. (London), F.R.G.S.; and Physics (Imperial College, Royal College of Science).—Professor G. P. Thomson, M.A. (Cambridge), now Professor of Natural Philosophy in the University of Aberdeen.

New University Readers were appointed as follows:—

French Language and Literature (Birkbeck College).—Dr. Claudine I. Wilson, M.A. (Aberdeen), Ph.D. (London). International History (London School of Economics).—Mr. L. G Robinson, M.A. (Oxford). Economics, with special reference to Banking and Currency (London School of Economics).—Mr. P. B. Whale, B.Sc. (Econ.) (London), M.Com. (Birmingham); and Economics, with special reference to Industrial Organization (London School of Economics).—Mr. J. W. F. Rowe, M.C., B.A. (Cambridge), M.Sc. (Econ.) (London).

The title of "Professor of French in the University" was conferred on Dr. Jules A. P. J. Dechamps, D.-ès-L. and Ph. (Liége), in respect of the post held by him at East London College.

University Readerships have been instituted in English Law tenable at King's College and in history tenable at Birkbeck College.

The Laura Soames prize for phonetics in 1930 was awarded to Mr. Guy S. Lowman, of University College, for his essay on "The Phonetics of the Albanian." Loch Exhibitions for 1930-31 have been awarded to Miss Olive K. Bowtell and Miss Grace E. Neal, of the London School of Economics.

SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

The following school awards are announced:—

BLUNDELL'S SCHOOL

SCHOLARSHIPS AND EXHIBITIONS.—A. E. STUBBS (Montpelier School, Paignton); G. M. R. PEARSON (Yeovil School, Somerset); E. N. RENNIE (Colchester House, Clifton); W. FRENCH (Bramdean, Heavitree, Exeter); and R. N. SYMONDS (Pembroke Lodge, Southbourne).

FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS.—D. E. WHEELER (Blundell's School); B. P. GRIFFIN (Blundell's School); and A. M. WYNNE (Blundell's School).

EASTBOURNE COLLEGE

ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS.—S. C. BONNETT (Lieutenant-Colonel L. C. Stevens, Chelmsford Hall, Eastbourne); D. M. HARRIS (Captain A. G. de L. Willis, Ascham St. Vincent's, Eastbourne); R. K. COLSELL (Eastbourne College, formerly Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Colley, St. Aubyn's, Woodford Green); and W. J. S. GURNEY (Mr. H. E. Forrester, Norfolk House, Beaconsfield).

DENSTONE COLLEGE

SCHOLARSHIPS.—A. S. LORD (Mr. G. H. Nott, St. Probus, Salisbury); and J. W. H. PRITCHARD (Wells Cathedral School).

EXHIBITIONS.—D. C. HOLT (Denstone); I. O. LANE (Mr. J. B. Stork, Hallfield Preparatory School); and M. B. WIGMORE (Northampton Town and County School); and M. F. ROWLAND (Stafford Grammar School), Choral Exhibition.

IMPERIAL SERVICE COLLEGE

SCHOLARSHIPS.—D. K. FAWKES (Mr. C. E. Lewis, Stoke Park, Guildford); and G. L. SMITH-MASTERS (Imperial Service College, from Mr. G. P. Laville, Avondale, College-road, Clifton).

EXHIBITIONS.—J. MCMULLEN (Mr. E. F. Duggan, Holmwood House, Lexden, Colchester); and D. C. B. ESMOND-WHITE (Imperial Service College, from Mr. H. J. Wood, Junior School, Imperial Service College).

TELEPHONE SERVICE TO SOUTH AMERICA

The Postmaster-General announces that arrangements have been made to open the telephone service to Argentina, Chile, and Uruguay (*via* Madrid) at 3 p.m. instead of 5 p.m. The service will in future be open from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m., and from 9 p.m. to 11 p.m. Subscribers wishing to make a call should ask their local exchange for "Radio Telephone Services."

ROYAL INSTITUTE OF BRITISH ARCHITECTS

At a general meeting of the Royal Institute of British Architects held on Monday at 9, Conduit-street, the results of the annual elections to the council and the standing committees were made public. Sir Banister Fletcher was elected president for a second year of office, and other results were:—

VICE-PRESIDENTS.—Mr. H. V. Ashley, Mr. H. Martineau Fletcher, Mr. Francis Jones (Manchester), Dr. R. Unwin.

HONORARY SECRETARY.—Mr. S. D. Kitson (Oxon).

MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.—Mr. R. Atkinson, Sir Herbert Baker, A.R.A., Major H. Barnes, Mr. H. T. Buckland (Birmingham), Sir Edwin Cooper, Mr. H. S. Goodhart-Rendel, Mr. W. Curtis Green, A.R.A., Mr. E. S. Hall, Mr. A. Keen, Mr. H. V. Lanchester, Mr. G. C. Lawrence (Bristol), Mr. T. R. Milburn (Sunderland), Mr. O. P. Milne, Professor C. H. Reilly (Liverpool), Mr. H. Robertson, Mr. H. D. Searles-Wood, Mr. P. E. Thomas (Cardiff), Mr. M. E. Webb.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. P. L. Cart de Lafontaine, Major T. C. Howitt (Nottingham), Mr. R. G. Lovell (Eastbourne), Mr. M. D. Robertson (Dublin), Mr. J. D. Scott, Mr. E. A. D. Tanner, Mr. M. J. Tapper, Mr. E. B. Webber, Mr. M. T. Waterhouse.

LICENTIATE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL.—Mr. A. B. Hayward, Lieutenant-Colonel P. A. Hopkins, Mr. J. Ll. Smith (Aberdare), Mr. P. J. Waldram, Colonel N. H. Waller (Gloucester), Major F. W. Rees.

PAST PRESIDENTS.—Mr. J. A. Gotch (Kettering) and Mr. Walter Tapper.

Representatives of allied societies in the United Kingdom or the Irish Free State were also appointed.

NIGHT LOADING OF COAL

After a further ballot vote of coal trimmers and tippers, another joint conference with the employers is to be sought on the question of abolition of night loading at South Wales ports. The men, who are engaged at present on day and night shifts, approached the owners some weeks ago with a view to returning to continuous day shifts. This was declined, and at a ballot which followed the men voted in favour of strike action to terminate the present arrangement.

THE WEATHER

THUNDERY AND WARM

Meteorological Office, June 18

GENERAL INFERENCE FROM OBSERVATIONS AT 7 P.M.—Barometric pressure is uniform over the British Isles, but a depression on the Eastern Atlantic is moving slowly north-eastward. Weather will be mainly fair and warm generally, apart from some further thundery rain or thunderstorms in South-eastern and Eastern England.

Forecasts for To-day

LONDON, ENGLAND, S.E., E., MIDLANDS, E.—Light, variable winds; variable skies; local thundery rain or thunderstorms; local mist or fog early; warm.

ENGLAND, S.W., N.W., N.E., MIDLANDS, W., N., WALES, SCOTLAND, ISLE OF MAN, ORKNEYS AND SHETLANDS, IRELAND.—Light or moderate variable or south-westerly winds; fair; local mist or fog early; warm.

FURTHER OUTLOOK.—Mainly fair and warm.

SEA PASSAGES

ENGLISH CHANNEL.—Light, variable winds; variable skies; local thundery rain or thunderstorms; local mist or fog early and late; sea slight.

IRISH SEA.—Light or moderate variable or south-westerly winds; mainly fair; local mist or fog early and late; sea slight to moderate.

FLYING PROSPECTS

AIR ROUTES (London - Paris - Brussels - Cologne-Amsterdam).—Variable or south-westerly winds, 5 to 10 m.p.h. at the surface and 10 to 15 m.p.h. at 2,000ft. Local thunderstorms or thundery showers; fair intervals; mist or fog inland at first. Visibility 500 yards in many places early; improving gradually to 3 to 6 miles.

Sun rises, 4.44 a.m.; sets, 9.18 p.m.
Moon rises, 1.24 a.m.; sets, 12.55 p.m. Last quarter, 10 a.m.
Lighting-up time, 10.18 p.m.
High water at London Bridge, 8.12 a.m. and 8.11 p.m.

LONDON OBSERVATIONS

KENSINGTON PALACE, JUNE 18, 7 P.M.—Bar., 1013.4mb. (29.93in.), unsteady; temp., 69.5deg.; humidity, 92 per cent.; wind, S.E., light; weather, fair.

Tuesday, 7 p.m., to Wednesday, 10 a.m.—Min. temp., 60deg.; rainfall, 2.1mm. (0.08in.).

Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.—Max. temp., 78deg.; rainfall, 11.9mm. (0.46in.).

Sunshine at Kew, 3.2hrs.

SUNLIGHT

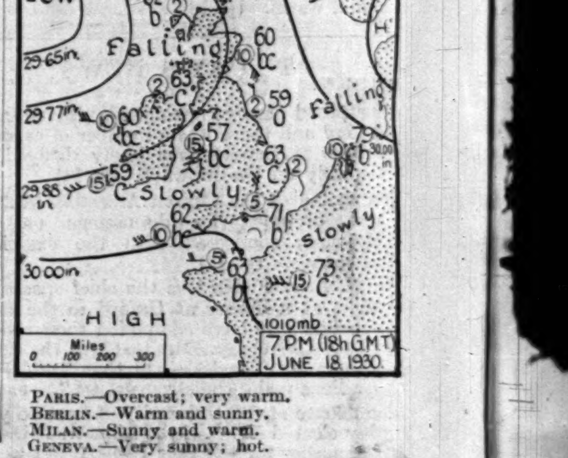
The sunlight (ultra-violet rays) figures for the 24 hours ended 5 p.m. yesterday, supplied by the National Institute for Medical Research, were:—

Hampstead, 3½; Kingsway, 1½; Clacton, 7; Lowestoft, 10; Margate, 9; St. Andrews, 5½, Southport, 2; Torquay, 10; Ventnor, 4½.

HEALTH RESORTS

The following reports of weather at health resorts yesterday were received last night. The rainfall is for 24 hours up to last evening:—

Stations	Sunshine	Rainfall	Temp. Min.	Temp. Max.	Weather (Day)
	Hrs.	Mm.	Deg.	Deg.	
Hunstanton	3·5	3	55	74	Bright intervals.
Cromer	3·8	0·2	55	73	Bright intervals.
Lowestoft	6·8	—	55	77	Fair.
Dovercourt	6·6	—	55	73	Bright periods.
Walton-o-N.	6·2	—	54	70	Fair, some mist.
Maldon	4·8	—	55	78	Bright periods.
Southend	6·8	—	60	77	Fair.
Tunbdge. W.	6·7	9	61	75	Fair.
Margate	6·1	—	58	74	Bright periods.
Ramsgate	6·3	1	58	70	Fair.
Deal	6·6	—	57	75	Fair.
Dover	7·2	—	60	70	Fair, mist early.
Folkestone	5·7	0·4	60	73	Bright periods.
Hastings	2·5	1	59	67	Mainly cloudy.
Bexhill	3·7	—	60	66	Bright intervals.
Eastbourne	6·8	4	60	68	Fair.
Brighton	9·1	—	59	66	Fine.
Worthing	9·2	—	60	69	Fine.
Littlehmptn.	8·0	—	59	69	Fair.
BognorRegis	6·3	1	59	69	Bright periods.
Southsea	6·4	—	61	77	Fair.
Sandown	6·9	—	60	75	Fair, mist early.
Ventnor	7·1	—	54	68	Fair, some haze.
Bournemth.	8·5	—	59	79	Fair.
Jersey	3·0	—	58	67	Bright intervals.
Weymouth	5·7	—	60	73	Fair.
Sidmouth	6·3	—	62	67	Fair.
Exmouth	6·0	—	57	70	Fair.
Teignmouth	6·2	—	59	75	Fair, mist early.
Torquay	6·7	—	58	72	Mainly bright.
Penzance	8·7	—	57	69	Fair.
St. Ives	9·0	—	56	69	Fine.
Newquay	9·5	1	57	66	Fine.
Bude	6·8	—	56	69	Bright periods.
Ilfracombe	5·9	—	58	64	Fair.
West'n-s.-M.	5·2	—	59	70	Bright periods.
Bath	4·4	—	61	75	Bright periods.
Tenby	5·0	—	53	67	Bright periods.
Cheltenham	3·9	90	59	74	Thunderstorms.
Malvern	1·8	12	60	73	Thunderstorm.
Leamington	1·7	—	60	76	Cloudy, thunder.
Yarmouth	6·9	0·1	57	75	Fair.
Felixstowe	6·7	—	55	72	Bright periods.
Clacton	5·8	1	57	69	Bright periods.
Falmouth	10·0	1	57	67	Fine.
Scilly Is.	9·5	—	54	68	Fine.
Ross-on-Wye	6·0	3	61	77	Fair, thunder.
Guernsey	4·2	—	58	68	Bright periods.
Plymouth	8·2	—	58	66	Mainly bright.
Aberystwyth	5·6	—	54	66	Fair, some haze.
Lerwick	0·1	4	54	61	Dull, some rain.
Nairn	6·0	—	54	66	Fair, mist early.
Banff	5·0	6	54	71	Bright periods.
St. Andrews	3·3	4	53	63	Dull, then bright.
Oban	6·6	—	48	72	Fair.
Stonehaven	4·2	4	53	65	Bright periods.
Troon	8·5	—	55	72	Fair.
N. Berwick	4·4	11	53	65	Bright periods.
Dunbar	2·8	4	52	61	Cloudy, shower.
Berwick-o-T	2·9	2	52	60	Mainly cloudy.
Harrogate	3·6	9	56	72	Bright intervals.
Ilkley	1·9	11	55	73	Thunderstorm.
Scarborough	3·3	—	54	70	Bright intervals.
Bridlington	0·1	—	53	72	Dull.
Cleethorpes	4·9	—	56	66	Bright periods.
Mablethorpe	3·3	1	54	64	Bright intervals.
W'hall Spa	3·8	—	52	66	Bright intervals.
Skegness	4·3	1	55	68	Bright periods.
Morecambe	4·7	—	60	72	Bright periods.
Blackpool	0·7	—	58	71	Cloudy, thunder.
Southport	1·4	1	58	69	Cloudy, thunder.
Buxton	5·2	14	57	72	Thunderstorm.
Douglas	11·7	—	52	74	Fine, some haze.
Wallasey	1·7	2	58	68	Cloudy, shower.
Prestatyn	2·7	1	57	68	Mainly cloudy.
Rhyl	4·6	0·1	56	70	Bright periods.
Colwyn Bay	5·3	—	57	67	Fair.
Llandudno	6·0	—	58	71	Fair.
Shrewsbury	2·5	11	55	76	Thunderstorm.



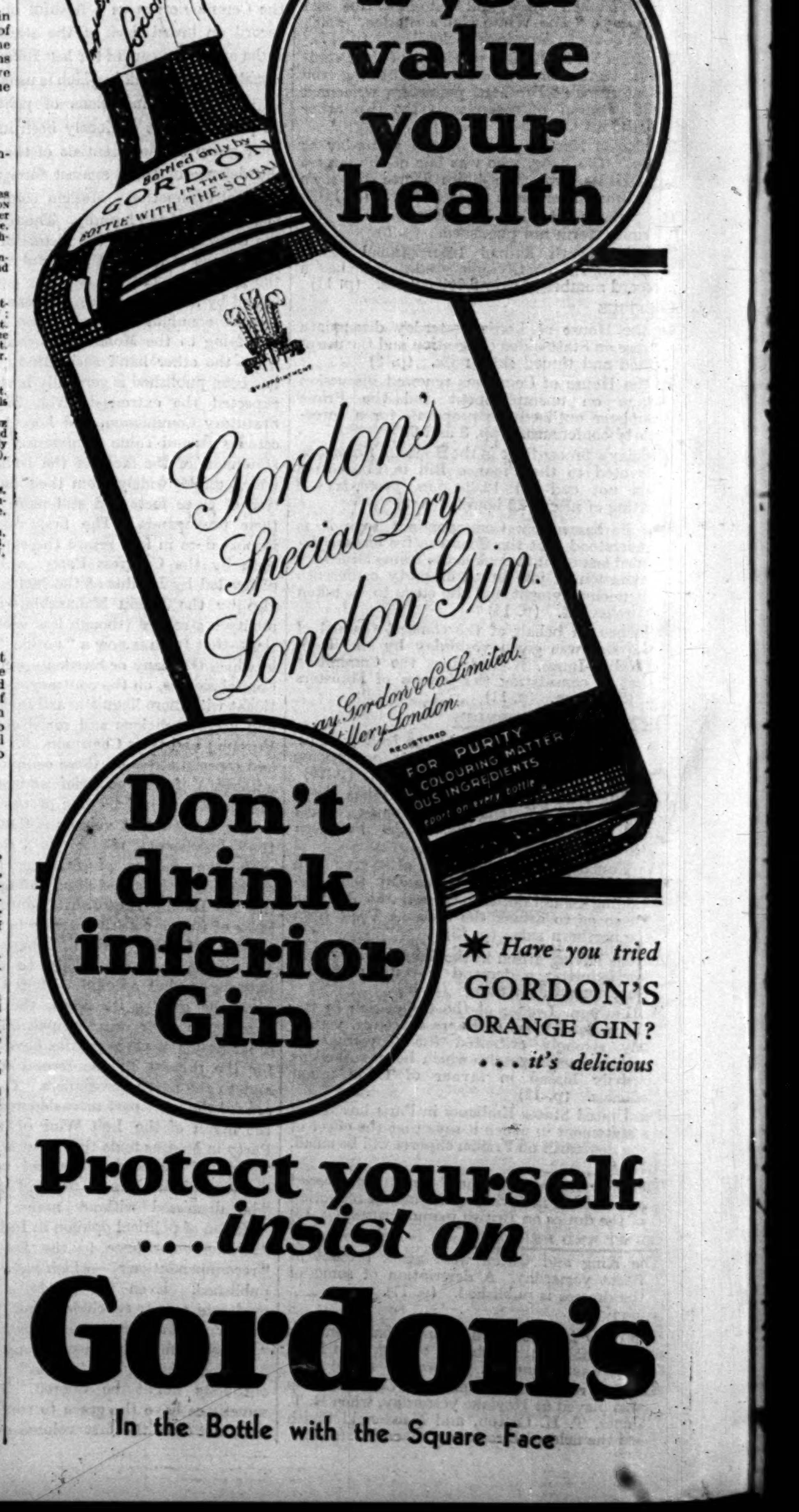
PARIS.—Overcast; very warm.
BERLIN.—Warm and sunny.
MILAN.—Sunny and warm.
GENEVA.—Very sunny; hot.

UPHOLSTERERS' STRIKE

DECISIONS OF EMPLOYERS

A meeting of employers in the London wholesale upholstery trade—federated and non-federated—was held yesterday to consider questions of organization in connexion with the strike of operative upholsterers. Four representatives of the non-federated firms were co-opted members of the federation's strike committee. The meeting came to the following decisions:—(1) Not to concede any of the demands for which members of the Amalgamated Union of Upholsterers are professedly on strike; (2) only to allow work to be resumed (pending a settlement) on the same terms and conditions as were in force on June 13 in the respective factories from which labour has been withdrawn; (3) to notify the Federation before such arrangements are made; and (4) not to negotiate with the union officials.

MR. HERBERT W. KEBLE, the chairman, said the trade could not bear the increased labour costs that would result from conceding the union's demands. Wages in the London upholstery trade were nearly the highest of any trade in the country. They were 4½d. an hour higher than at Wycombe, which had become almost a suburb of London as a consequence of the use of motor transport. Already, as an outcome of the strike, one member of the federation was starting a factory beyond the London area, and another firm had recently moved to Wycombe because of London labour conditions.




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FREE CHURCH PULPIT CHANGES

The following changes in Free Church pulpits are announced in the *Christian World*:—

PRESBYTERIAN.—The REV. J. G. BURT, of Harrington, Cumberland, has accepted a call to Ashington, Northumberland.

CONGREGATIONAL.—The REV. LL. R. ELLIS, of Kettering, has accepted an invitation to Abington Avenue Church, Northampton; the REV. C. S. HERBERT, of Torquay, to Avenue Church, Southampton; the REV. J. HALL, of Aberdeen, to Hood Memorial Church, Glasgow; the REV. L. J. BAILEY, of Beaminster, to Lulworth, Dorset. The Rev. A. O. Moore, of Yelvertoft, Rugby, has resigned.

BAPTIST.—The REV. W. V. PHILLIPS, formerly of Hathern, has accepted an invitation to Abbey Gate Church, Leicester; the REV. D. M. PATERSON, of Sowerby Bridge, to Boston, Lincs. The REV. WYNFORD BELLIN, of Stonehouse, Glos, has been appointed an Army Chaplain.

Court Circular

WINDSOR CASTLE, JUNE 18

The King and Queen, accompanied by Their Majesties' Guests and the Ladies and Gentlemen in attendance, honoured Ascot Races with Their presence to-day.

His Excellency the Count Bethlen (Hungarian Prime Minister) and Countess Bethlen, who were accompanied by His Excellency the Hungarian Minister and Baroness Rubido-Zichy, had the honour of being received by The King and Queen.

The Earl and Countess of Shaftesbury, the Hon. Margaret Bigge, Major-General Sir John and Lady Hanbury-Williams, Lady Wigram, Mrs. Arthur Erskine, Major Frederick and Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh and Mrs. Owen Morshead had the honour of dining with Their Majesties this evening.

Lady Norah Spencer-Churchill returned to London yesterday from Ireland, where she has been staying with the Dowager Marchioness of Lansdowne.

Owing to a very important public engagement, which it was impossible for him to forgo, the Earl of Derby was unable to attend the Earl of Sefton's funeral, which took place privately at Kirkby Church, near Liverpool, yesterday.

The Countess of Crawford and Balcarres will return to 7, Audley-square to-day from Haigh Hall.

Lady Margaret Cholmondeley and Miss M. Cholmondeley have just returned from China, and are staying for a few weeks at Bailey's Hotel, S.W.7.

Viscount Tredegar, who has been in indifferent health for some time, has under medical advice left for Switzerland to consult a specialist. No letters will be forwarded.

Lady Emily Lutyens has returned to 13, Mansfield-street from the country.

Lady Evelyn Cobbold will return to London about the middle of next month from Norway.

Lord Berners expects to return to London at the end of the month from Italy, where he has been staying since April.

Captain the Hon. Bede and Mrs. Clifford have arrived at Harewood-court, Hanover-square.

The Hon. Michael and Mrs. Scott returned to 1, Upper Belgrave-street on Sunday from New York, where they have been staying for the last two months.

The Hon. Mrs. Sandars has arrived at 57, Rutland-gate from Gate Burton Hall, Gainsborough.

Sir William Clark, British High Commissioner in Canada, and Lady Clark expect to leave 31, Onslow-square about the middle of next month for the country, where they will remain for a few weeks before returning to Canada.

Colonel Sir William and Lady Smith will leave to-morrow for a cruise to Norway.

Sir John and Lady Blunt and Miss Blunt and Mr John Blunt have arrived at the Langham Hotel for the remainder of the season.

Russell Pasha arrived from Egypt yesterday, and will be at 10, Wyndham House, Sloane-gardens, with Mrs. Russell and Miss Camilla Russell until the middle of July. (Telephone, Sloane 4653.)

Mr. Nigel C. Colman, M.P., has moved to 49, Grosvenor-square, W.1, which will be his address for the future. (Telephone, Mayfair 2373.)

Mrs. Alexander Ballingal wishes to thank the many friends who have so kindly sent messages in her recent bereavement. She is unable to reply at present, but hopes to do so eventually.

The annual children's garden party in aid of the Duchess of York's Maternity Centre of the Royal Free Hospital will be held on Wednesday, June 25, at Cam House, Campden Hill, lent by Lady Phillimore.

The committee of management of the Bergman Osterberg Physical Training, Dartford, have appointed Miss R. Hope Greenall, one of H.M. Inspectors of Physical Training, to be Principal of the college.

A *première* of the all-talking production of *Young Woodley*, in aid of the special appeal for the Brompton Hospital for Consumption, organized by Lady Bertha Dawkins, will be held at the Regal Cinema on Thursday, July 3, at 2.45.

Miss Critchley's dancing *matinée* performance in aid of the Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital, will take place to-morrow, June 20. Owing to unavoidable circumstances, the Winter Garden Theatre, lent by Mr. Jack Hulbert, is not available on the advertised date of June 27.

Among the chief mourners at the funeral of Mr. Guy Gilbey on Tuesday were Mrs. Guy Gilbey (widow), Mrs. Hine, Mrs. Robin Barrow, Mrs. Herbert Stroyan (sisters), and Mrs. Tresham Gilbey (sister-in-law).

We have to announce the death of Comte D'Arcy, which took place suddenly at 8, Hampstead Hill-gardens, N.W. The funeral will take place to-day at Ipswich Cemetery at 2.30 p.m. A requiem Mass will be said at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Farm-street, W., on Saturday, June 28, at 11 a.m.

THE LATE SIR HERBERT WARREN

The Spanish Ambassador has written to Lady Warren:—

"I have been requested by his Majesty the King of Spain, my august Sovereign, to express his Majesty's deep sympathy with you in your bereavement, to which I add mine. Every one will remember Sir Herbert with affection and regret."

The King of Spain went to tea with Sir Herbert and Lady Warren at Magdalen College when he was last in Oxford.

THE COMING COURT

As space for descriptions of dresses to be worn at their Majesties' Court on Thursday, July 10, will be strictly limited, inquiries should be addressed, in writing, to the Social Editor, *The Times*, Printing House-square, E.C.4, at the earliest possible moment.

From The Times of 1830

SATURDAY, JUNE 19, 1830. Price 7d.

Yesterday being the anniversary of the battle of Waterloo, the Duke of Wellington gave, as has been his custom, an entertainment to those military officers of rank who served under his orders in that memorable conflict, and are now in London, or its neighbourhood. We cannot imagine any occurrence more interesting to men who have borne a conspicuous part in great events, than this occasion for a festive and friendly recall of sympathies which, many years before, a common danger and common glory had created. No vulgar difference, no political or accidental estrangement, could stand for one moment before the talisman of such recollections. The host would forget that he was anything but a victorious chieftain,—the guests that he had embarked in a new career, where the majority of them were no longer qualified to be his instruments or auxiliaries in the attainment of what to them would be uncongenial honours. . . . As long as the noble Duke shall show in his civil career the same firmness, uprightness, and clear-sightedness which characterized his military service, he will find us his ready supporters: if, which we do not anticipate, he shall deviate from that line of honour, he will find that we can be an active and persevering, if not a formidable foe.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES

MR. A. H. SMITH AND MISS BUNBURY

The engagement is announced between Allan Henry Smith, son of the Bishop of Hereford and Mrs. Linton Smith, and Bridget Vanda, eldest (twin) daughter of Paymaster-Captain C. R. Bunbury, R.N., and Mrs. Bunbury, of Puckham Cottage, near Cheltenham.

MR. J. F. LEESE AND MISS H. W. DIX PERKIN

The marriage arranged between John Frederick Leese, Royal Engineers, and Miss Helen Winifred Dix Perkin, will take place at St. George's, Sudbury, on Saturday, June 21, at 2.15.

MR. R. N. F. MARKS AND MISS E. J. C. HUDSON

The marriage arranged between Robert Neville Falkner Marks, 3rd Q.A.O. Gurkha Rifles, and Edith Joyce Corrie Hudson will take place on Saturday, June 21, at 2.30, at All Saints' Church, Milford-on-Sea.

FLIGHT-LIEUTENANT A. O. LEWIS-ROBERTS AND MISS GRESHAM

The engagement is announced between Flight-Lieutenant A. O. Lewis-Roberts, D.F.C., Royal Air Force, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis-Roberts, Dundee, Natal, and Marjorie, elder daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. H. E. Gresham, Branksome Manor, Bournemouth, W.

DR. C. MACVICKER AND MISS J. BUTTERY

The marriage arranged between Dr. Colin Macvicker and Miss Joan Buttery will take place at St. James's Church, Piccadilly, on Saturday, June 28, at 2 p.m.

MR. C. ROBINSON AND THE HON. MRS. R. EVANS-FREKE

The engagement is announced between Charles, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Robinson, of Park Hill, Egginton, near Derby, and the Hon. Mrs. Ralfe Evans-Freke, 12, Alfred-place, S.W.7, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Harrington Moore, London.

MR. J. HARTLY HODDER AND MISS YATES

The engagement is announced between John, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Hartly Hodder, Clifton, Bristol, and Mary, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Yates, and niece of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gerrie, 7, Lancaster-gate, W.2.

MR. D. L. THOMAS AND MISS P. L. BAKER

An engagement is announced between David Llewelyn, only son of the late Mr. David R. Thomas and Mrs. Thomas, of Woodford Green, Essex, and Phyllis Lawton, second daughter of the late Mr. Lawton Baker and Mrs. Baker, of Woodford Green, Essex.

MR. H. J. NICOL AND MISS EYRES

The engagement is announced between Henry James, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Nicol, of Kilninver, Argyll, and Phyllis Mary, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Eyres, of Calcutta.

MR. G. BROOKS AND MISS BENTLEY

The marriage arranged between Mr. G. Brooks and Miss Marjorie Bentley will take place at the Parish Church, Bowdon, Cheshire, on Thursday, July 24, at 1.30.

MR. D. MCD. CURRIE AND MISS D. WHETHAM

A marriage has been arranged, and will take place shortly in India, between Donald McDonald Currie, Indian Forest Service, elder son of the late Charles Douglas Currie and Mrs. C. D. Currie, of Bowmore, Isle of Islay, and Diana Cecily Dampier Whetham, third daughter of C. Dampier-Whetham, F.R.S., of Upwater Lodge, Cambridge, and Hilfield, Dorset.

MR. M. A. B. HARRISON AND MISS ATHORPE

The engagement is announced between Maxwell Harrison, Sudan Political Service, son of the late H. A. Harrison, I.C.S., and of Mrs. Mayne Campbell, of Carbrook, Bordighera, Italy, and Willow House, Quarry Woods, Marlow, and Dorothy Phyllis, daughter of the late Marmaduke Athorpe and of Mrs. Athorpe, of Dinnington Hall, near Sheffield, and granddaughter of the late Gordon Pyper, of Hantane, Kandy, Ceylon.

MR. C. E. TURNER JONES AND MISS KNOWLES

An engagement is announced between Cyril Ernest Turner, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Turner Jones, of Knutsford, Cheshire, and Margaret Hamilton, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Knowles, of Macclesfield, Cheshire.

MR. B. O. BOWEN AND MISS M. SCHOFIELD

The marriage between Bertram Osler Bowen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Bowen, of Corbar Hall, Buxton, and Margery Schofield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Schofield, of Kremston, Buxton, will take place at Christ Church, Burbage, Buxton, on Wednesday, July 16, 1930, at 2 o'clock.

MR. J. M. WILSON AND MISS RADONICICH

The engagement is announced between John Moore Wilson, younger son of Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Harold Wilson, of Hopton Court, Mirfield, Yorks, and May, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Radonicich, of London.

MR. A. W. TURNER AND MISS W. M. D. CARR

A marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between Alfred Wallace Turner, son of Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Turner, of Plympton, Devon, and Wilfrieda Mary Dawson Carr, of 1, Albert-place, W.8, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Carr.

MR. G. THOMAS AND MISS H. HIGGS-WALKER

The engagement is announced between Geoffrey, only son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thomas, of Clifton House, Old Swinford, Stourbridge, and Helena, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Higgs-Walker, of Wychbury House, Hagley, Worcestershire.

The marriage arranged between Mr. E. H. Tattersall and Lady Victoria Audrey Chetwynd-Talbot will not take place.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

LORD GLENDYNE

Major Edward Seymour represented Princess Victoria at the memorial service for Lord Glendyne, which was held yesterday at St. Michael's, Cornhill.

The Rev. J. H. J. Ellison (the rector) officiated, and among those present were:—

The Hon. John Nivison and the Hon. Alec Nivison, the Hon. Alice Nivison, Mr. D. A. Williamson and Mr. H. W. Butcher (partners), Mr. A. N. Rickett, Mr. A. R. Owen, Viscount Leverhulme, Lord Revelstoke, Major-General Sir Granville Ryrie (High Commissioner for Australia) and Lady Ryrie, Lady Coghlan, Sir Alfred E. Lewis, Sir Frederick Williams-Taylor, Sir Hewitt Skinner, Mr. A. Ronson (representing Sir George Whitehead), Sir James Hamilton, Sir Henry Barwell, Sir Andrew Taylor, Sir Ernest Harvey, Sir Gerald Ryan, Sir Felix Schuster, Sir Bernard Greenwell, Sir James Dunn, Wing Commander Louis Greig, Sir James Leigh-Wood, Sir Frederick W. Young, Major Hely Pounds (representing the Big Brother Movement), Major C. R. Higgens, Captain Gerald Coningham, Sir James MacLeod.

Colonel A. Weston Jarvis (Chairman, representing the Royal Empire Society), Colonel and Mrs. Arthur Grenfell, Mr. Walter Leitch (Agent-General for Victoria), Mr. R. Hugh Tennant (Chairman of the Westminster Bank), Mr. Bertram Lowndes (Manager, Standard Bank of South Africa), Mr. Claude S. Langley (Deputy Manager, Union Discount Company of London), Mr. F. C. Goodenough (Chairman of Barclays Bank), Major Sidney Tabor, Mr. T. R. Moncrieff (representing the Governors of the Royal Scottish Corporation), Mr. F. Goldsmith, Mr. H. W. Thompson, Mr. J. W. Murray, Mr. C. Hawkins, Mr. William Kerr (Assistant Manager, Bank of Montreal), Mr. F. Winstone Scott, Mr. T. S. Scott (Manager, Commonwealth Bank of Australia), Mr. Ralph V. Woods, Mr. Charles E. Cater, Mr. Herbert Chown, Mr. Basil Wilson, Mr. W. J. Molison, Mr. K. Macleod Black, Mr. H. G. Bishop (representing the Northern Assurance Company, Limited), Mr. Charles H. Skinner, Mr. John Rae (Chief General Manager, Westminster Bank), Mr. J. Hunter Blair, Mr. E. M. Janion, Mr. Andrew Williamson, Mr. W. A. Laing, Mr. E. R. Peacock, Mr. J. Paterson, Mr. Montague Price, Mr. Edward Buchanan, Mr. George Bell, Mr. E. Baker, Mrs. T. P. Bapti, Mr. C. Tritton, Mr. Reginald Head, Mr. H. W. Priestley, Mr. G. W. Shaw, Mr. Langley Smithers, Mr. Norman Smithers, Mr. Carron Scrimgeour, Mr. C. A. Cresswell, Mr. H. D. Clive.

Mr. H. F. Chamen (Deputy Chairman of the Stock Exchange), Mr. A. W. Craiger (Chairman of the Stock Exchange Clerks' Provident Fund), Mr. S. Guinness, Mr. W. C. Angwin (Agent-General for Western Australia), Mr. F. I. Pitman, Mr. Leonard Booth, Mr. Gordon Forbes, Mr. Walter B. Morison, Mrs. D. Power, Mrs. E. P. Hunt, Mr. Thomas E. Marks, Mr. Charles B. Cooper, Mr. Eric Gordon, Mr. H. J. Ash and Mrs. Ash, Mr. J. Higgins, Mr. R. P. Maclachlan, Mr. A. S. Taylor, Mr. Alfred Morris, Mr. R. H. Collis, Mr. H. Woodger, Mr. W. F. Willey, Dr. Allan Hair, Mr. Stanley Platts, Mr. Courtenay J. Mill, Mr. Arthur W. Kiddy, Mr. E. F. G. Whinney, Mr. Charles J. G. Palmour, Mr. James H. Stephens, Mr. John Henry Vigne, Mr. John Caulcutt (Director and Chief Manager, Barclays Bank, Dominion and Overseas), Mr. C. W. Holliday, Mr. Charles Cambie, Mr. G. C. Cassels, Mr. B. H. Broadfoot, Mr. J. J. Brown, Mr. Fowles Hyslop, Mr. Theodore Boothby, Mr. Terence Eden, Mr. Howard B. Figgis, Mr. F. G. Stobbs, Mr. E. Mitchell Cotts, Mr. Crichton Cotts, Mr. J. G. Colmer, Mr. A. J. Gass, Mr. S. King, Mr. S. E. Kennedy, Mr. S. A. P. Kitcat, Mr. Theophilus Sandeman, Mr. R. G. Allen, Mr. E. L. Gosling, Mr. A. G. Waley, Mr. A. Gardner, Mr. J. A. Robson, Mr. Anthony Hamilton, Mr. K. O. Hunter, Mr. Samuel Atkin, Mr. Cecil Braithwaite, Mr. F. McIntyre, Mr. J. F. Featherstone, Mr. Alford Wallace, Mr. J. Woodland, Mr. James Mackie, Mr. Hampton J. Aubrey, Mr. J. S. Arnold, Mr. H. G. Bishop, Mr. H. W. J. Chipchase, Mr. W. T. Craven, Mr. H. L. Urling Clark, Mr. Gordon Anketell, Mr. Thomas G. White, Mrs. Primrose, Miss Thake, Mr. F. G. Norton, Mr. E. K. Brown, Mr. George Aylwen, Mr. E. B. McInerney, Mr. Frederick Hyde, Mr. E. Spartali, Mr. Thomas Howson Russell, Mr. A. A. Shipston, Mrs. Boyd Shannon, Mr. R. B. Pearson, and Mr. J. Gorst Hubball.

SERVICE DINNERS

THE BUFFS DRAGON CLUB

Major-General Sir Arthur Lynden-Bell presided at the dinner of The Buffs Dragon Club, which was held at Claridge's last night. Colonel Sir Theodore Brinckman and Colonel E. B. Burns were the guests of the evening, and the officers present were:—

Brigadier-Generals A. J. Whitacre Allen, R. A. Hickson, R. McDouall, C. L. Porter; Colonels F. Bradley Dyne, H. Findlay, J. Kennedy, W. H. Trevor; Lieutenant-Colonels M. Beevor, R. Bright, J. Crookenden, R. S. I. Friend, L. C. E. Knight, L. W. Lucas, R. E. Power, the Hon. P. G. Scarlett, H. F. Sparrow, A. H. Tylden-Pattenson; Majors J. F. Whitacre Allen, W. H. Booth, R. P. S. Elderton, C. S. Field, C. Gregory-Hood, H. L. Archer Houblon, Guy Lee, H. de R. Morgan; Captains B. E. Hammond Davies, P. Green, E. Foster Hall, H. C. C. Morley, N. D. Rice, H. C. T. Stronge, R. M. Watson, C. E. Wilson, C. J. Wood; Messrs. E. P. C. Bruce, J. F. Connolly, M. P. D. Dewar, P. R. H. Fox, C. Haggard, C. T. Kenward, P. T. G. Lynden-Bell, H. Milton, R. J. Murphy, J. G. Nicholson, F. W. B. Parry, T. N. Penlington, A. J. D. Rose, W. H. Rowe, C. R. Tuff, and W. Rayden.

THE KING'S OWN ROYAL REGIMENT

The annual regimental dinner of The King's Own Royal Regiment was held at the Hotel Metropole last evening. Brigadier-General F. B. Matthews presided, and the following officers were present:—

Air Chief Marshal Sir John Salmond, Brigadier-General Sir Thomas Jackson; Brigadier R. M. Luckock; Colonels E. A. F. Carter, T. O. Fitz-Gerald, J. Rowlandson, and A. D. Thorne; Lieutenant-Colonels C. W. Grover, F. S. B. Johnson, W. A. Main, J. A. Nixon, R. A. Ray, J. M. Young, and G. Wilson; Majors G. A. Carleton, V. L. de Cordova, C. G. S. Irvine, G. T. E. Keith, J. F. B. Morrell, and A. J. Pott; Captains C. F. T. Baker, G. R. R. Beaumont, L. R. Hibbert, A. D. Seddon, R. T. Somerville, and T. E. Thorpe; Messrs. R. N. Anderson, B. A. Burke, D. G. Carter, F. P. H. Daly, J. Helme, J. O. Johnson, R. E. A. Jones, F. R. L. Mears, and F. M. Woolmer; and the Rev. C. J. K. Burnell.

THE WEST YORKSHIRE REGIMENT

The annual dinner of the 14th, Prince of Wales's Own, West Yorkshire Regiment was held at Claridge's on Tuesday. The following officers were present:—

Major-Generals Sir William Fry, Colonel of the Regiment, and Sir Walter de Sausmarez Cayley; Brigadier-Generals S. G. Francis and F. W. Towsey; Colonels G. L. Crossman, H. Harington, A. E. Kirk, F. J. Lemon, C. Mansel-Jones, and G. E. St. C. Stockwell; Lieut.-Colonels T. P. Barrington, A. M. Boyall, W. A. Davenport, W. H. A. De la Pryme, S. H. Elkington, A. R. Glasbrook, S. T. Grigg, W. T. C. Huffam, C. B. Price, and T. B. G. Tottie; Majors D. Anderson, F. C. Bedwell, E. G. Butler, W. S. Carey, E. B. Costin, the Hon. B. Foljambe, J. B. Gawthorpe, C. H. Hinchcliffe, H. F. C. Hobbs, C. G. Phillips, H. E. Pickering, and W. W. T. Torr; Captains E. Ambler, E. C. Becker, W. D. S. Carey, L. A. Davies, R. McL. Glassby, F. J. Harington, W. H. Langran, W. C. Newstead, A. K. Phillips, and W. E. H. Spicer; Messrs. G. S. Caldecott, W. G. Harker, R. C. M. King, J. R. McN. Shelford, G. R. B. Soltau, G. E. Stevenl, and G. F. St. C. Stockwell.

THE (17TH) LEICESTERSHIRE REGIMENT

The annual dinner of The (17th) Leicestershire Regiment was held on Tuesday evening, at the Army and Navy Club. The following officers were present:—

Major-Generals Sir E. M. Woodward (Colonel of the Regiment), Sir George Younghusband, Sir H. L. Croker; Brigadier-Generals E. L. Challenor, B. C. Dent, H. Gordon; Colonels C. H. Haig, C. G. Liddell, C. H. D. Palmer, J. E. Sarson, E. H. Griffith; Lieutenant-Colonels A. W. S. Brock, B. F. Clarke, P. H. Creagh, R. E. Crockett, B. C. Dwyer-Hampton, C. T. M. Hare, G. C. I. Hervey, R. Le Fanu, F. H. Ross, E. S. W. Tidswell; Majors S. O. Everitt, H. S. Pinder, C. M. Sarjeantson, A. T. le M. Utterson; Captains C. H. V. Cox, J. G. Herring Cooper, E. Lindsay Young, A. G. Raleigh, L. Sawyer, N. A. Morgan; and Messrs. H. R. Beauchamp, R. G. Bowley, P. D. S. Palmer, O. G. A. Phillips, and A. J. P. Withington.

THE ROYAL WELCH FUSILIERS

The regimental dinner of The Royal Welch Fusiliers was held at the Savoy Hotel last night. Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Dobell was in the chair, and the other officers present were:—

Brigadier-Generals R. A. Berners, W. G. Braithwaite, H. A. Iggulden, the Hon. R. White; Brigadier J. R. M. Minshull-Ford; Colonels the Hon. R. Bertie, R. F. Williamson; Lieutenant-Colonels J. B. Cockburn, C. H. R. Crawshay, G. F. H. Dickson, M. D. Gambier-Parry, W. B. Garnett, G. H. Gwyther, C. C. Hewitt, R. J. B. Johnson, Sir H. W. McMahon, Sir D. Powell, F. J. Walwyn.

Majors L. A. A. Alston, G. F. Barttelot, C. H. Dale, T. D. Daly, G. J. P. Geiger, G. F. Hutton, E. R. Kearsley, M. L. Lloyd-Mostyn, H. M. Richards, T. C. Sharp; Captains M. I. H. Anwyl, W. Best, S. Bright-Smith, F. I. Gerrard, R. H. Grey, H. B. Harrison, F. W. Jagger, W. P. Kenyon, D. H. W. Kirkby, L. S. Lloyd, J. L. Lock, D. Roberts-Morgan, H. C. Watkins; Messrs. G. E. Braithwaite, T. D. Butler, the Hon. G. R. Clegg-Hill, D. R. Evans, E. R. Freeman, Ll. Gwydyr-Jones, R. de B. Hardie, B. E. Horton, J. H. Liscombe, H. De B. Prichard, the Hon. F. J. Southwell, M. W. Whitaker, J. R. Johnson, and Sir W. L. Williams.

THE ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS

Lieutenant-General Sir Travers Clarke presided at the annual dinner of The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, which was held at the Army and Navy Club on Monday. The Duke of Abercorn, Governor of Northern Ireland, was the guest of the evening, and the following were present:—

Brigadier-Generals R. M. Foot, W. F. Hessey, H. O. D. Hickman, C. A. Wilding; Lieutenant-Colonels W. L. Reales, J. N. Crawford, J. R. C. Dent, C. C. Hewitt, W. R. Meredith, C. Ridings, W. E. Rothwell; Majors Sir Frank Fox, C. A. M. Alexander, R. G. S. Cox, T. H. Cockburn-Mercer, H. F. Hammond-Smith, A. Mostyn Davies, C. S. Owen, J. M. T. Reilly, M. J. T. Reilly; Captains F. P. L. Gray, E. E. J. Moore, F. H. S. Verschoyle; Messrs. B. J. H. Boyle, R. E. FitzG. Brabazon, W. H. E. Cotter, D. N. F. Davidson, B. J. Mahon, R. E. Moody, D. G. Moore, and J. C. O'Dwyer.

16TH PUNJAB REGIMENT

General Sir Henry Watkis presided at the dinner of the 16th Punjab Regiment, which was held at the Hotel Metropole on Tuesday. The following were present:—

Lieutenant-Colonels C. C. Anderson, R. W. Beadle, and P. G. Carey, Captain W. Day, Major R. B. Deedes, Lieutenant-Colonels H. B. Ford and R. W. Gaskell, Brigadier-General A. G. Kemball, Lieutenant-Colonel K. E. Kirkpatrick, Lieutenant J. G. Rainsbath, Captains R. C. Robinson and Murray-Shirref, Lieutenant-Colonel C. N. Steel, Captain W. H. Stevenson, Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Tancock, Major I. C. Walkinshaw, Major T. R. Wells, and Lieutenant H. I. T. Wilson.

9TH JAT REGIMENT

The annual regimental dinner of the 9th Jat Regiment was held at the Café Royal last night. There were present:—

Lieutenant-General Sir Alexander Wardrop; Major-General C. F. G. Young; Lieutenant-Colonels C. J. M. Thornhill, E. K. Twiss, T. de B. Carey, G. E. Hardie, G. S. Douglas, J. F. Parkin; Majors J. B. Haines, C. A. McPherson; Captains G. A. G. Young, W. M. Morgan, C. F. Meehan, A. B. Cook, H. A. Neal, the Rev. J. Crompton, McDonald Fife, M. J. O'Connor, B. Gerty, M. M. Pakenham, F. W. Douse, W. E. Allen, and R. H. Byerley.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE

Major-General F. H. G. Hutchinson presided at the annual dinner of the Indian Medical Service, which was held at the Trocadero Restaurant last night. Among the guests were:—Sir Harry Waters, Mr. F. H. Brown, Mr. N. G. Horner, Mr. E. C. Morland, Captain E. G. Hurdwood, Captain M. H. Wace, Captain J. McM. Wilder, Lieutenant F. H. A. L. Davidson, Lieutenant R. T. Hicks, and Air Vice-Marshal Sir David Munro. Other officers present were:—

Major-Generals.—R. W. Anthony, Sir Charles Havelock, A. A. Gibbs, G. F. A. Harris, A. Hooton, Sir Leonard Rogers, Sir Thomas Symons, G. Tate.

Colonels.—H. Ainsworth, J. Anderson, R. F. Baird, J. Fullergood, J. D. Graham, T. A. Granger, C. R. M. Green, A. J. MacNab, F. P. Mackie, J. J. Pratt, F. Wall; Lieutenant-Colonels.—A. W. Alcock, W. G. P. Alpin, H. E. Brown, A. Buchanan, W. V. Coppinger, A. G. Coullie, D. G. Crawford, J. M. Crawford, J. K. S. Fleming, G. D. Franklin, A. B. Fry, G. F. Graham, A. E. Grisewood, A. F. Hamilton, J. A. Hamilton, W. G. Hamilton, B. Higham, E. V. Hugo, J. B. Hunter Dalzell, A. Kirkpatrick, E. C. G. Maddock, F. O. N. Mell, A. Miller, T. R. Mulroney, R. A. Needham, F. O'Kinealy, C. H. Reinhold, E. R. Rost, A. J. H. Russell, G. M. C. Smith, R. Steen, T. A. N. Stokes, Ashton Street, W. A. Sykes, C. Thomson, G. Sloane Thomson, W. H. Thornhill, E. L. Ward, D. Warliker, C. M. Wilson; Majors.—R. T. Advani, S. C. Alagappam, F. J. Anderson, D. Clyde, Sir Thomas Carey Evans, N. H. Hume, Clive Newcombe, J. M. Shah; Captains.—M. P. Atkinson, R. N. Bhandari, J. Carrey, H. A. Culhane, J. R. Katariya, R. MacRobert, Percy Devonport, S. D. S. Greval, H. M. Strickland, and F. H. Whyte.

BRITISH COMMONWEALTH LEAGUE

THE POSITION OF WOMEN IN COLONIAL GOVERNMENT

MRS. CORBETT ASHBY, in her presidential address yesterday to the British Commonwealth League at the Royal Society of Arts, John-street, Adelphi, said the most notable tendency in Colonial policy was the effort to associate native forms of government with the new form of government brought in from outside.

Asking how women were to fit into this system, Mrs. Corbett Ashby said:—"Governors' wives remind me of curates' wives. They are called upon to second the efforts of their husbands, to show an interest in girls' schools, women prisoners and women staffs of hospitals, and generally to be kind and understanding. But not for one moment are they to have any responsibility of their own.

"Whereas really great efforts are made to prevent the oppression of men by men, practically no efforts are made to prevent the oppression of women. The latest instance is that while women have been admitted to the Bar in Palestine the admission has been promptly followed by an Order in Council which refuses to women barristers access to the Courts when any case is tried in religious law. Almost the whole of Jewish and Arab law is religious, and so they are excluded from practically the whole sphere of native law."

DR. JANE WALKER, opening a discussion on problems of power, said:—"There is a great deal of talk of men and women standing shoulder to shoulder and walking bravely along together. That is very beautiful and highly satisfactory in theory; only in practice the man's shoulder is apt to get well in front and the woman to be left behind.

"I feel strongly that, for the present, separate organizations for women are absolutely necessary. Medical women form about 9 per cent. of the whole profession and less than that percentage of the British Medical Association. If the women were simply absorbed in the B.M.A. their point of view would hardly be heard, and they would simply be crowded out. But when they can speak with one voice from all over the country their voice does make a real impression. That is why we have the Medical Women's Federation."

SECOND DAY OF ASCOT

THE KING AND QUEEN AGAIN PRESENT

The King and Queen arrived at Ascot yesterday about 1 o'clock in closed cars, owing to the very bad weather. The skies cleared before the first race, but at 2 o'clock extremely heavy rain began to fall and in a short time a violent thunderstorm was raging. The paddock and course quickly became swamps, and it was soon realized that racing would have to be discontinued. As soon as the decision of the Stewards to abandon racing for the day was known, everybody began to go, the King and Queen leaving, with their guests, at 3.30.

The Queen wore a silver-grey brocade coat, collared with chinchilla, over a pale sea-green chiffon gown, and a swathed silver tissue toque. Princess Mary, Countess of Harewood, who was with the Earl of Harewood, wore a flowered chiffon gown over a pink foundation, and her large brown hat was trimmed with a wreath of shell-pink flowers. The Duke of Connaught, Prince George, and Prince and Princess Arthur of Connaught were also seen in the Royal Box, as well as the members of the house-party from Windsor Castle.

The Hungarian Minister and Baroness Rubido Zichy escorted Count and Countess Bethlen to the Royal Enclosure, and the Portuguese Ambassador was another early arrival.

The Marquess and Marchioness of Blandford were together, Lady Blandford wearing a black and white printed crêpe de Chine dress, with a large black straw hat bound with red, and Princess Imeretinsky was seen in a pale green and tomato-coloured patterned chiffon dress, with a pale green hat bound with the same material as her frock. Lady Chesham was in a nigger-brown and white bird's-eye coat and skirt, and Marchioness Curzon of Kedleston had a tucked frock of pale duck-egg blue romaine under a kasha coat of the same colour collared with sable, and a small straw hat to match trimmed, on one side, with a sable-coloured osprey. Lady Stanley wore a printed chiffon dress in shades of yellow, black, and white, with a large black straw hat finished with a diamond brooch in front; Lady Buchanan-Jardine was in a cornflower-blue and white patterned crêpe de Chine dress with a panelled skirt and a buttonhole of white camellias, and her white hemp hat was bound with blue petersham. Lady Sophie Scott wore a black crêpe de Chine dress patterned with beige, and a black straw hat, and the Countess of Ellesmere was in a small checked crêpe de Chine dress in black, red, and white, and a large black hat. Lady Cunliffe Owen was in a shell-pink organdie muslin frock, with a pink hat bound with blue; Lady Domville had a cerise and white spotted frock and coat and a black straw hat; Lady Lacey wore a black and white printed chiffon dress, with a black straw hat; Lady Levy was in a brown and beige figured crêpe de Chine dress under a brown coat and a beige straw hat; Mrs. Raoul Foa had a buttonhole of red and pink carnations with her grey lace frock and grey satin and felt hat; and the Dowager Lady Glentanar was in black.

Field-Marshal Viscount Plumer arrived with Viscountess Plumer, who wore a dress of navy blue faille with écru needlerun lace forming a wide berthe collar and flowing panels down the back of the bodice, and the Duke of Norfolk was with his sister, Lady Rachel Howard, who wore an olive green and white dress with a large green hat. The Hon. Mrs. Ronald Greville was in a black crêpe de Chine dress patterned in red and white and a black straw hat; Lady Worthington-Evans wore a green mackintosh over her pink-patterned chiffon dress, and Lady Halsey wore red shoes and a red rose-trimmed hat with her black and white figured chiffon frock. Lady Struthers was in black satin with a black crinoline hat, and Priscilla Countess Annesley wore a small black-and-white spotted georgette dress with a three-quarter length coat of the same material, and a black straw hat edged with pink. The Lord Mayor of London arrived with the Lady Mayoress, who was in black, and the Countess of Dalkeith was in a dress of beige and yellow. Lady Hiley wore a pink and black printed crêpe de Chine frock with a black crinoline hat trimmed with pink roses, and Mrs. Labouchère was in a blue and red flowered satin dress with a blue crinoline straw hat. Major Colin and Lady Margaret MacRae arrived together, the latter wearing a navy blue and white printed crêpe de Chine dress with a large navy blue straw hat trimmed with cire flowers, and Sir John and Lady Dashwood were together. Lady Dashwood wearing a picture frock of bright pistachio nut-green and beige organdie muslin with a coatee of the same material and a large black straw hat. Lady Ludlow was seen in a black crêpe de Chine dress printed with red, yellow, and blue, under a black marocain coat, and a large black straw hat; Lady Waddilove was in a flesh-pink crêpe frock under a black marocain coat, and a black straw hat lined with pink; Lady Aird wore a black chiffon dress, the neck and hem interwoven with gold thread, and a black hat, and Lady de Frece was in a beige lace frock and coat with a beige crinoline hat bound with velvet. Lady Butt was in a black lace frock with a black hat. Among others seen during the day were:—

The Earl and Countess of Lonsdale, the Aga Khan, Viscount Astor, the Earl of Cromer, Lord Fairhaven, the Earl of Rosebery, the Hon. Henry Tufton, the Earl of Carnarvon, Sir Ian Malcolm, Mr. J. B. Monck, Rear-Admiral A. E. Wood, Mr. and Lady Agnes Durham, Viscountess FitzAlan of Derwent, Lord Oranmore and Browne, Sir George Watson, Sir Dennis Boles, Mr. Reginald Crichton, Sir Richard Brooke, Admiral Blackett, Sir Walter Gilbey, Colonel Dunbar, the Earl of Londesborough, the Hon. Marion Glyn, Lady Hillingdon, Lady de Trafford, Sir Warden Chilcott, Sir Mathew Wilson, Mr. J. de Rothschild, the Hon. Lionel Montagu, Sir Alfred Butt, the Hon. Mrs. Macdonald Buchanan, Sir Delves Broughton, the Earl of Ellesmere, the Hon. Thomas Egerton, the Hon. Francis Egerton, the Earl of Portarlington, Sir Hugo Cunliffe Owen, and Viscount D'Abernon.

THE ASCOT BALL

The Prince of Wales and the Duke of Gloucester attended the annual ball in aid of King Edward VII. Hospital, Windsor, which was held at Wentworth Club, Virginia Water, last night.

There were over a thousand present, and among those who accepted invitations, many of whom brought parties, were:—

The Duchess of Norfolk, the Duchess of Sutherland, Marchioness Douro, the Marchioness of Sligo, the Marchioness of Downshire, the Countess of Derby, Countess Jellicoe, Lady Blanche Seymour, Lady Beatrice Pole-Carew, Viscountess Cowdray, Annie Viscountess Cowdray, Viscountess Burnham, Viscountess Elibank, Viscountess FitzAlan of Derwent, Lady Mary Crichton, Hermione Lady Ellenborough, Lady Camrose, the Hon. Mrs. Alington, the Hon. Mrs. Borthwick, the Hon. Mrs. Henderson, Lady Darell, Lady Stern.

Lady Edward Spencer-Churchill (chairman of the committee), Lady Power, Baroness Graevenitz, Lady Bisset, Lady Campbell, Mrs. Albertini, Mrs. Allhusen, Mrs. Asher, Mrs. Bentley, Mrs. Burness, Mrs. Carteret Carey, Mrs. Chetwynd Stapleton, Mrs. Crofts, Mrs. Dunlop Best, Mrs. Gibson Fleming, Mrs. Goddard, Mrs. Griffiths, Mrs. Harrington Stuart, Mrs. Hillier, Mrs. Horlick, Mrs. Hurot, Mrs. Hyman, Mrs. Jay, Mrs. Langhorne, Mrs. W. Legge, J.P., Mrs. McKenna, Mrs. Michael, Mrs. C. Micklem, Mrs. P. M. Morris, Mrs. E. C. Mumford, Mrs. H. Nash, Mrs. Norris Elye, Mrs. O'Callaghan, Mrs. C. G. Osborne, Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Railton, Mrs. C. Seymour, Mrs. H. Spink, Mrs. Timmis, Mrs. Tufnell, Mrs. G. Hay Whigham, Miss Wedderburn Wilson, and Mrs. Anthony de Worms.

THE SALE ROOM

BARRIE AND KIPLING MSS.

Three or four lots in Sotheby's sale yesterday of books and manuscripts accounted for the high total of £8,314. The top price of all—£2,400, from an opening bid of £100—was paid by Mr. J. F. Drake, the New York bookseller, in rivalry with Mr. Gabriel Wells, for the very fine original autograph manuscript of J. M. Barrie's "Better Dead," 1887, on 79 pages, complete and entirely in the author's handwriting. The manuscript was the property of a gentleman to whom it was presented by the author. Another Barrie manuscript, the property of Mr. R. J. Younger, of Callendar, was the complete one of *Bohemia*, a comedy in three acts, 1880, entirely unpublished and unrecorded, on 106 pages quarto, and this fell to Mr. Scheuer, of Philadelphia, at £440.

The third big price, £800, was paid by Mr. Walter Hill, of Chicago, for the fine autograph manuscript of Rudyard Kipling's "The White Man's Burden," 48 lines in all, with title at the head and the author's full signature at the foot. Among the printed books were:—Byron, "Waltz: an Apostrophic Hymn," 1813, an unbound, uncut, and unopened copy of the first edition—£800 (G. Wells); R. Browning, "Paracelsus," 1835, the author's proof copy with his numerous corrections—£42 (W. Hill); J. Galsworthy, "A Man of Devon," 1901—£56 (Allen and Son); the Kelmscott Press edition of Chaucer's "Works," 1896—£320 (Bumpus); H. Alken, "The National Sports of Great Britain," 1823, with 50 coloured plates—£250 (Spencer); and E. Orme, "Collection of British Field Sports," 1807, with 20 coloured engravings from designs by S. Howitt, and 20 coloured aquatints—£500 (G. Wells). Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's criminological library, 115 books and pamphlets ranging in date from 1705 to the present day, went in one lot to the Rosenbach Company for £95.

WILLS AND BEQUESTS

ESTATE OF SIR WILLIAM WILKINSON

SIR WILLIAM HENRY WILKINSON, Kt., of Deepdene, Bathampton, near Bath, late British Consul-General, Hankow, who died on March 31, aged 71, left estate of the gross value of £4,478, with net personalty £4,287.

MR. WILLIAM JOHNSON WHARWICK, of Rydal Villa, Southfield, Hessle, Yorks, managing director of Thomas Whittick and Sons, Limited, yeast merchants, Hull, died on March 31, aged 81, leaving £122,858, with net personalty £98,645.

MR. WALTER LONGLEY, of Park View, Newton-road, Leeds, a bedstead and bedding manufacturer, died on January 31, aged 84, leaving estate of the value of £118,397, with net personalty £13,831. He gives:—

Annuities of £52 each to Joshua Holden, Henry Best, Andrew Millson, and George Brayshay, employees; an annuity of £52 to Tom Hill for life and then for his wife; an annuity of £26 to his gardener, John A. Irving; and £100 to William Hadwin, if still in his employ.

MR. WILLIAM GLENISTER COTCHING, of Wild Oak, Trull, Somerset, formerly proprietor of Messrs. Hanbury and Cotching, Canon-street Brewery, Taunton, died on April 11, leaving £64,995, with net personalty £52,603. He gives:—

£100 to the Taunton and Somerset Hospital, £100 to Miss E. M. Clement, for faithful services as secretary, £50 each to Charles Spiller, late foreman at Canon-street Brewery, Lilian M. MacGregor, and Henry Lock, gardener; one year's wages and, if unmarried, £156 a year to his housekeeper, Mrs. Parkman; one year's wages to Nellie Brice, cook, if still in his service; and six months' wages to each of his other servants and workmen.

MR. HAROLD SHAWCROSS, J.P., of Long Acres, West Runton, Norfolk, retired cotton spinner, formerly managing director of the Townhead Mill Company, Rochdale, who died on February 15, aged 75, left estate of the gross value of £63,375, with net personalty £56,571. He left:—

His premises, Wolstenholme Hall, Norden, near Rochdale, at present in the occupation of Rochdale Corporation as a sanatorium, to his wife and his son Anthony Tuer Shawcross, desiring, but not creating any trust in the matter, that they will devote such property, or the proceeds of sale thereof, for the benefit of persons living in Rochdale or the neighbourhood who are sick or ailing, or whose means are small.

CAPTAIN ARTHUR BROOKS BROADHURST, late 14th Hussars, of Ravenoaks, Penrith, Cumberland, died on March 12, aged 70, leaving £40,717, with net personalty £30,793. He gives:—

£100 each to Catherine Hunter, nurse to his children, and his servants, Arthur Joseph Rowland and Annie Gibbs.

MISS MARY RIDSDALE WILSON, of York-terrace, Regent's Park, N.W., who died on March 4, left £35,864, with net personalty £31,520. She gives:—

£300 to her coachman, Allison, if with her at the time of her death.

MISS KATE FLORENCE POOLE, of Caxton, Cambs, who died on March 5, left estate of the gross value of £2,575, with net personalty £2,513. She left:—

£200 to Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge, "as an acknowledgment of great kindness and skill received in that hospital on the occasion of a bicycle accident some years ago"; £100 to the National Church League; and £100 to form a fund to pay a caretaker for Caxton Churchyard.

Other latest wills include the following:—

	Gross value
ASHCROFT, Mr. William (81), of The Waldrons, Croydon (net personalty £14,332)	£15,304
ASKWITH, Miss Alice Browning (73), of The Wicket, Whiteleaf, Princes Risborough, Bucks, and sister of Lord Askwith (net personalty £32,755)	34,043
BELL, Mr. James (88), of Woodthorpe, Colinton, Edinburgh (personal estate in England and Scotland)	71,102
DEARDEN, Mr. Henry, A.M.I.C.E., A.R.I.B.A., of Alexandra-crescent, Birkdale-road, Dewsbury, Yorks, Borough Engineer and Surveyor of Dewsbury (net personalty £285)	2,478
DUCKET, Mrs. Maria Hester, of Ashley-gardens, Westminster, S.W., widow of the Rev. E. A. Ducket, M.A. (net personalty £29,406)	29,565
GEORGE, The Rev. William Henry, of Hitcham Rectory, Burnham, Bucks (net personalty £4,848)	5,004
HERMON, Mrs. Ethel (50), of Brook Hill House, Cowfold, Sussex, widow of Lieutenant-Colonel E. W. Hermon, D.S.O. (net personalty £37,599)	39,564
HUGHES, Mr. Richard Henry (68), of Sussex Mansions, Sussex-place, South Kensington, S.W., and Billiter-avenue, E.C., shipbroker (net personalty £37,300)	37,784
HUTTON, Mr. Malcolm (49), M.A., B.Sc., M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H., of The Grange, Silverton, Devon (net personalty £16,627)	19,039
LYONS, Mrs. Alice Sarah Hancorn, of St. Martins, Emsworth, Hants, widow of Colonel E. Lyons, R.A. (net personalty £14,499)	16,739
McCRACKEN, Mr. James, of Holmehurst, Helensburgh, formerly agent for the Clydesdale Bank Limited, Moore-place branch, West George-street, Glasgow (personal estate in Great Britain)	7,538
MARSHALL, Miss Jean, of Lochmalony, Cupar, Fife (personal estate in Great Britain)	11,338
NICHOLLS, Mr. William (77), of The Drive, Walthamstow, Essex, late chairman and managing director of R. S. Hudson, Limited, of Liverpool (net personalty £40,300)	42,562
ROWLANDS, Mr. William Herbert (60), M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., of "The Gables," Bromsgrove (net personalty £4,437)	7,157
SCOTT, Mr. Daniel, of Brunswick-square, Penrith, Cumberland, for many years editor of the *Penrith Observer* (net personalty £1,110)	1,998
SMEDLEY, Mr. Allan Edward (69), of Park Mount, Belper, Derbyshire, a director of Smedley Brothers, Limited, engineers and iron-founders (net personalty £7,942)	11,379
STANHOPE, Mr. Charles Douglas Fitzroy Fisher (72), of Pembroke Lodge, Pembroke-crescent, Hove (net personalty £9,930)	17,601
STEWARD, the Rev. Edward (79), of Highmount, Shady Bower, Salisbury, and of Saxlingham, Nethergate, Norfolk, senior Hon. Canon of Salisbury Cathedral (net personalty £1,411)	1,655
TOPHAM, Mr. Robert Augustus Henry, of Sandgate-road, Folkestone, and of the Stock Exchange, and Jacques Court, Eltham, Kent (net personalty £29,563)	32,776
WARNER, Mr. Thomas (79), of West Hill, Bulkington, Warwick, farmer (net personalty £1,434)	7,516

ECCLESIASTICAL NEWS

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS

The REV. A. E. MCCAIG, rector of St. Philleigh, Cornwall, has been offered the vicarage of St. James, Pentonville—patron, the vicar of Clerkenwell on the nomination of the Rev. P. E. Warrington.

The REV. E. S. THOMAS, rector of Merton, Thetford, has been instituted to the rectory of Merton together with the vicarage of Tottington with Tompston and Sturston, Norfolk, on the presentation of Lord Walsingham.

NOTES

The Festival of the Friends of Exeter Cathedral will be held in the Cathedral at 3 p.m. on June 30.

The consecration of the Ven. W. F. Surtees as Suffragan Bishop of Crediton will take place in Lambeth Palace Chapel at 11 o'clock on Tuesday, June 24.

The Rev. Maurice Child, general secretary of the Anglo-Catholic Congress, will lecture at St. Edmund's, Lombard-street, to-morrow at 1.10 p.m. on "What is the Anglo-Catholic Congress?"

In accordance with ancient custom, the annual service preceding the Election Feast of the Grocers' Company will be held at St. Stephen's, Walbrook, on Wednesday, July 16, at 6 o'clock. Prebendary A. W. Gough will preach.

QUEEN'S INSTITUTE OF DISTRICT NURSING

NEED OF MORE NURSES

The Executive Committee of the Queen's Institute of District Nursing met at 58, Victoria-street, yesterday afternoon. Sir Warren Crooke-Lawless presided.

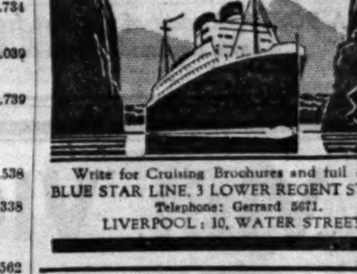
Reports were received from the various subcommittees showing that the names of 105 nurses had been placed on the roll of Queen's Nurses since the last meeting of the committee and 10 nursing associations had been affiliated. Satisfactory progress was also reported in all the other branches of the institute's work. Careful consideration has been given as to how an increased number of nurses can be attracted to take up work under the institute as the present supply is not sufficient to meet the increasing demands from all over the country for Queen's Nurses.

The scheme under which many of the most beautiful and interesting gardens in England and Wales are open to the public in aid of district nursing is again proving very successful, and the committee desires to express its appreciation of the generosity of the owners who allow their gardens to be opened. Many requests for the list of gardens are received from the Colonies, America, and other places oversea.

Among those present at the meeting were:—

Sir William Hale-White, Mr. L. Boughton Chatwin, Mr. L. Currie, Mr. T. Ellis, Mr. L. A. Teeling, Lady FitzGerald, Lady Thomson, Dame Maud McCarthy, Mrs. Arkwright, Mrs. Kevill Davies, Mrs. Monk Gould, Mrs. Hugh-Jones, Mrs. Bruce Richmond, Mrs. H. Slater, Mrs. Wynne-Finch, Miss Irving, Miss Milford, Miss Wagg, Miss H. Wynne-Edwards, Miss A. M. Peterkin (general superintendent), Miss A. C. Lowe (secretary), and Miss G. H. Vaughan (nursing superintendent for England).


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THE DUCHY OF LANCASTER

A meeting of the Council of the Duchy of Lancaster was held yesterday at the Duchy Office, Lancaster-place. There were present:—

The Chancellor of the Duchy (Major C. R. Attlee, M.P.), the Attorney-General of the Duchy (Sir Herbert Cunliffe, K.C.), the Receiver-General of the Duchy (Sir F. E. G. Ponsonby), Lord Buckmaster, Lord Lovat, and Sir Herbert Mitchell.

The Clerk of the Council (Mr. Louis F. Fergusson) was in attendance.

The Chancellor of the Duchy has appointed Mrs. Hamilton, M.P., to be his Parliamentary Private Secretary (unpaid).

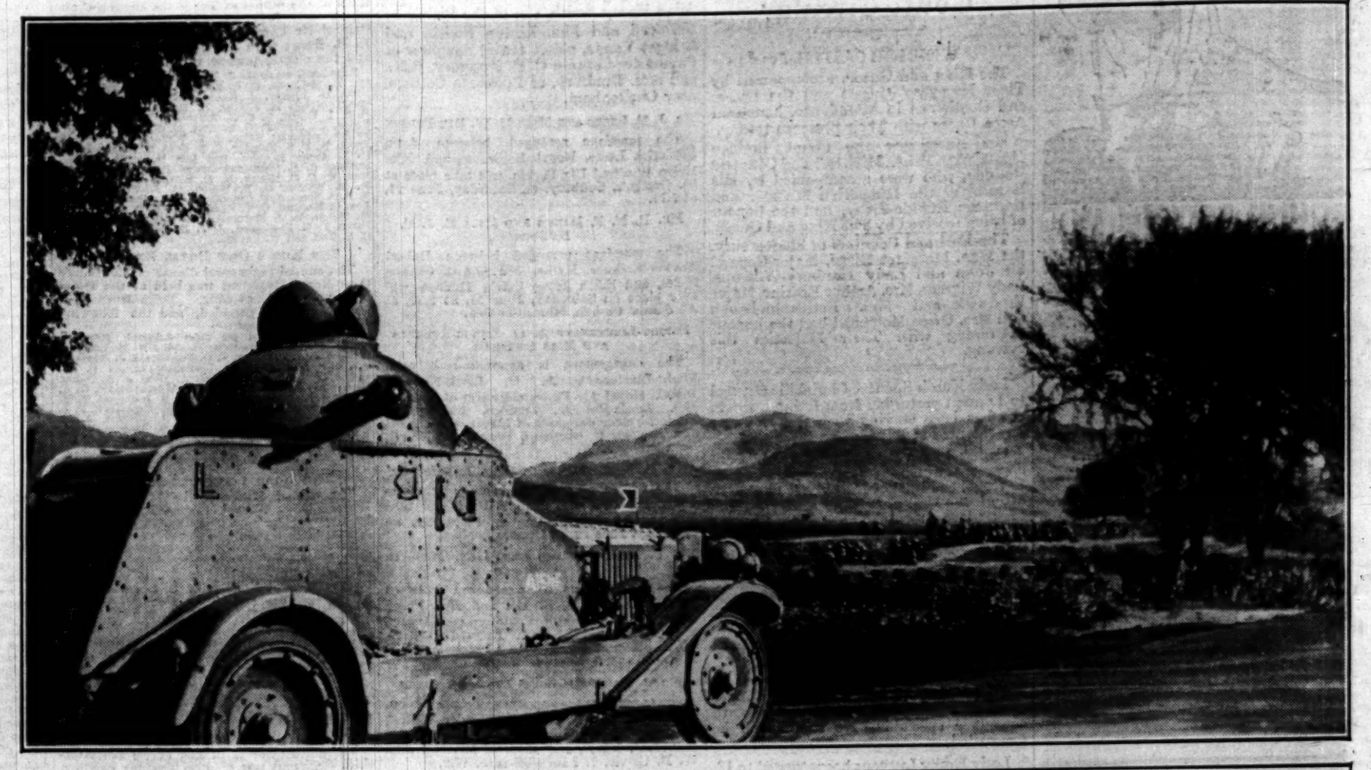
ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY

Ascot: Gold Cup.
Lord Bridgeman at Stoke Newington, Woodberry Down, Empire Fête, 8.
Mr. Churchill, M.P., delivers Romanes Lecture on "Mass Dominance in Peace and War," Oxford.
Bishop of Bombay's At Home: Sir Samuel Hoare and Bishop of Bombay to address gathering, 18, Cadogan-gardens, S.W., 4 to 6.
Church Assembly Summer Session: Church House, Westminster, 10.30.
Imperial Press Conference: Scottish Tour.
Royal Institute of British Architects: Annual conference, Norwich.
Chief Constables' Association: Annual conference, Cardiff.
Housing and Town Planning Council: Conference, County Hall, Westminster, 11 and 2.30.
Festival of English Church Art, Caxton Hall, Westminster.
National Savings Association: Annual conference, Llandrindod Wells.
Ridley Hall, Cambridge, Jubilee Celebration.
Royal Commission on Licensing.
Primitive Methodist Conference, Bradford.
Institute of Municipal Treasurers and Accountants: Annual general meeting, Scarborough.
Public Cleansing Institute: Conference, Bournemouth.
Reformatory and Refuge Union: Triennial conference, Leeds.
International Horse Show, Olympia.
Royal Numismatic Society: Meeting, 22, Russell-square, W.C., 6.
Optical Society: Meeting, Imperial College of Science and Technology, Imperial Institute-road, S.W., 7.30.
Royal Society of Tropical Medicine: Annual general meeting, 11, Chandos-street, W., 8.15.
British Commonwealth League: Conference on "Women, Power and Policy in Relation to the Imperial Conference," Royal Society of Arts, Adelphi, 10 and 2.
Kensington Housing Association: Meeting, 30, Hyde Park-gate, S.W., 5.15.
Gray's Inn Debating Society: Debate on "That the works attributed to Shakespeare were written by Bacon," Common Room, Gray's Inn, 8.15.
Royal Asiatic Society: Professor D. S. Margoliouth on "Sidelights on Islamic History and Customs in the Fourth Century A.H.," 74, Grosvenor-street, W., 4.30.
East India Association: Professor Rushbrook Williams on "Indian Unrest and American Opinion," Caxton Hall, Westminster, 4.30.
Chemical Society: Ordinary Scientific Meeting, Burlington House, W., 8.
Women's Freedom League: Miss Marian Reeves on "The Coming Factories Bill," Minerva Club, 56, Hunter-street, W.C., 4.30.
Bethnal Green Men's Institute: Professor W. Rothenstein opens Exhibition of Institute's Art Section Work, Bethnal Green Museum, 8.
Uppingham School: Founder's Day.
Girls' Friendly Society: Anniversary Week: Service, Southwark Cathedral, 11; Meeting, Chelsea Town Hall, 2.30; Diocesan Secretaries' conference, Townsend House, Greycoat-place, S.W., 5.15.
Cheyne Hospital for Children: Special visiting day and Annual Pound Day, Cheyne-walk, 3 to 5.30.
Aldershot Command Searchlight Tattoo: Rushmoor Arena, 9.40.
Royal Norfolk Agricultural Show, Diss.
Nottingham Aero Club: Air Pageant and official opening of Nottingham Municipal Air Port, Tollerton.
Oxfordshire Canine Society: Show, Oxford.
Blackpool: Second Pageant of Progress.
Royal College of Music: Chamber Concert, 8.15.
Marriage: Mr. A. T. Maxwell and Miss Isherwood, Christ Church, Chislehurst, 2.15.
Funerals: Lady Coode-Adams, St. Peter's, Bayswater, 2.45; Mrs. E. B. Tudor, St. Paul's, Camberley, 12.15.

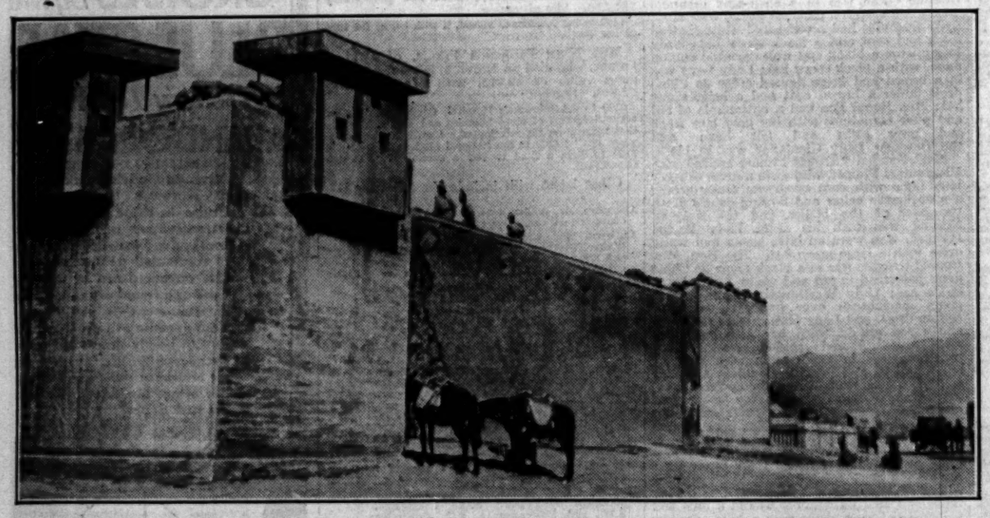
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ON THE NORTH-WEST FRONTIER: THE ACTION AGAINST BADSHAH GUL





THE BOMBARDMENT OF THE RAIDERS.—To-day we publish pictures taken near Peshawar during the action in which Badshah Gul's *lashkar* was bombarded by British artillery. A pack battery and armoured cars were established in a nullah near Matta Post, two miles from Shabkadar Fort, and the first photograph shows troops on the parapet of Matta Post watching the bombardment.
On the right is one of the armoured cars, in front of which are infantry, photographed during the action. In the background are the Mohmand hills, where Badshah Gul's force was concealed.

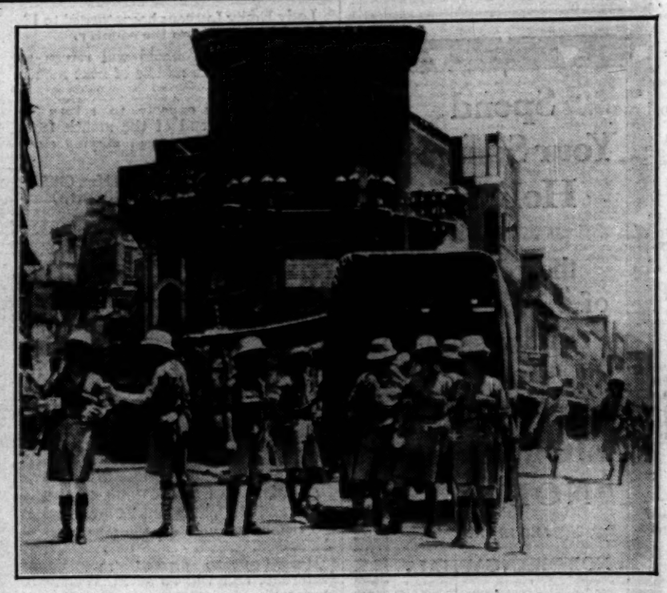


MATTA POST.—A view of the fort from near which Badshah Gul's *lashkar* was bombarded by a battery of 3.7 howitzers.





MOSCOW PROPAGANDA.—The cover of a "Socialist Weekly," with the title "Young Men of the Frontier," published at Peshawar during the disturbances. It bears the Soviet hammer-and-sickle device, as does the badge of the "Red Shirts" (on the left). The badge reads: "Long live the Revolution. New Youth League of Peshawar. Workers and Peasants of the World, unite." A translation of the letterpress on the cover appears on another page.



BRITISH TROOPS IN PESHAWAR.—Men of the 2nd Battalion, The King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, on duty in the streets of Peshawar. The stalls of the bazaar are closed owing to the *hartal*.

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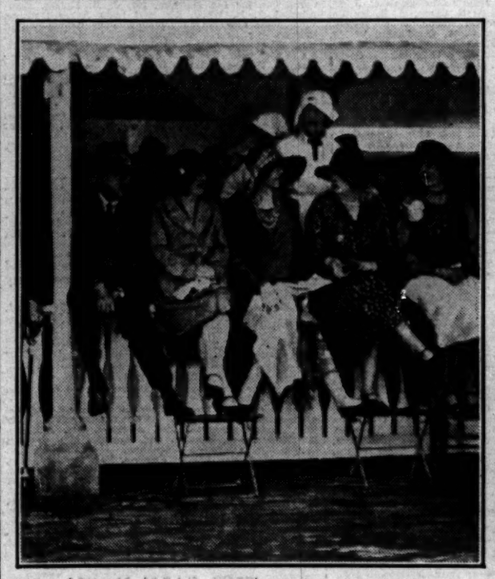
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FLOODED ASCOT.—The second day of the Ascot meeting was spoilt by the thunderstorm, and racing was abandoned for the day after the Royal Hunt Cup had been won by The Macnab in a heavy downpour. Two photographs, showing the flooded state of the course and the plight of racegoers.



STORM DAMAGE AT EDMONTON.—For the second day in succession the London area was visited yesterday by thunderstorms accompanied by torrential rain, and serious flooding and damage to roadways were reported in many parts. A view of Fore-street, Edmonton, after the storm.

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THE PROGRAMMES

RUSSIAN MUSIC

Listeners to the London Regional programme this evening will hear a concert of Russian music conducted by Mr. Joseph Lewis, with Mr. Robert Maitland (baritone) as the soloist. At 9.15 p.m. there will be broadcast a performance of *Baghdad on the Subway*, described as a "phantasmagoria of New York."

PROGRAMMES

The broadcasting arrangements for today, June 19, are as follows :—

NATIONAL PROGRAMME.—1,148kc. (261.3m.), (193kc.) (1,554.4m.).

10.15 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 10.30 :—Time Signal, from Greenwich ; Weather. 10.45 :—Ourselves and the State, 7—Communications, by Mrs. H. A. L. Fisher. 11-11.30 (261.3m. only) :—Experimental Television Transmission by the Baird Process (Sound).

12 :—The Frank Walker Octet ; Constance Pemberton (soprano). 1 :—Organ Recital. 2 :—Gramophone Records. 2.30 :—For the Schools : Speech and Language, by Mr. A. Lloyd James. 2.50 :—Technical Talk : Maintenance—Teacher's Difficulties. 3 :—Evensong from Westminster Abbey. 3.45 :—B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. 4.15 :—Orchestra, from Grosvenor House.

5.15 :—Children : Fourth Day of Request Week : The Great Toytown Mystery (S. G. Hulme Beaman), arranged as a Dialogue Story, with suitable music played by the Gershom Parkington Quintet. 6 :—Miss Irene Cooper-Willis, reading from Jane Eyre, by Charlotte Brontë. 6.15 :—Weather ; News. 6.30 :—An eye-witness account of the International Horse Show, by Colonel M. F. McTaggart. 6.35 :—Market Prices for Farmers. 6.40 :—Rasoumovsky Quartets, played by the Brosa String Quartet. 7-7.20 :—Plays and the Theatre, by Mr. James Agate. 7.25 :—Some Industries of Great Britain To-day, 2—Iron and Steel, by Sir William Larke.

7.45 :—Fred Lewis (impersonations) ; Wish Wynne in character studies ; Stainless Stephen (comedian) ; Mabel Marks in light comedy songs at the piano ; Ernest Jones (banjo solos) ; the Three Ginx in harmony ; B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. 9 :—Weather ; News ; London and New York Stock Exchange Reports ; Shipping Forecast (1,554.4m. only). 9.25 :—The Way of the World, by Mr. Vernon Bartlett. 9.40 :—The Wireless Military Band, conducted by B. Walton O'Donnell ; Paul Molchanoff (baritone). 11.15-12 :—Orchestra, from the Café de Paris.

LONDON REGIONAL PROGRAMME.—842kc. (356.3m.).

11-11.30 a.m. :—Experimental Television Transmission by the Baird Process (Vision). 12 :—Midland Regional programme. 1 :—Midland Regional programme. 1.30 :—Orchestra, from the Kit-Cat Restaurant. 2.30-3 :—Midland Regional programme. 5.15 :—B.B.C. Dance Orchestra. 6.15 :—Weather ; News. 6.40 :—Reginald King's Orchestra ; Winifred Ransom (soprano). 8 :—Midland Regional programme. 9.10 :—News. 9.15 :—Baghdad on the Subway, a Phantasmagoria of New York, devised and produced by John Watt, with Charles Farrell, George Ide, Andrew Churchman, Philip Wade, Peggie Robb-Smith, Val Rosing, Anona Winn, Florence McHugh, Percy Parsons ; Chorus, conducted by Leslie Woodgate ; Jack Padbury and his Cosmo Club Six. 10.15-10.30 :—Weather ; News.

MIDLAND REGIONAL PROGRAMME.—626kc. (479.2m.).

12 :—Orchestra, from Small Heath, Birmingham. 1 :—Arthur Trayhurn (bass) ; Gladys Vincent-Bowen (violin) ; Elsie Heath (soprano). 1.30 :—London Regional programme. 2.30-3 :—Organ Recital. 5.15 :—Children—A Game of Bowls, an Historical Play, by Bladon Peake ; Songs by Bernard Sims (baritone) ; Norris Stanley (violin). 6 :—London Regional programme. 6.15 :—Weather ; News. 6.40 :—The Midland Wireless Orchestra, conducted by Joseph Lewis ; Violet Clive (soprano) ; Elsa Tookey (violoncello). 8 :—The Midland Wireless Augmented Orchestra (leader, Frank Cantell), conducted by Joseph Lewis ; Robert Maitland (baritone). 9.10 :—News. 9.15 :—London Regional programme. 10.15-10.30 :—Weather ; News.

ABERDEEN (995kc.) (301.5m.).

10.15 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 10.30 :—National programme. 11-12 :—Gramophone Records. 2.30 :—See Glasgow. 6.15 :—National programme. 6.35 :—See Glasgow. 6.40 :—National programme. 9.15 :—News. 9.25-12 :—National programme.

BELFAST (1,238kc.) (242.3m.).

10.15-10.30 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 2.30-3 :—National programme. 3.50 :—The Radio Quartet ; Alec Burns (soprano). 4.50 :—Gramophone Records. 5.15 :—Children. 6 :—Achill Island—1, Mr. W. M. Gaper. 6.15 :—National programme. 9.15 :—News. 9.25-12 :—National programme.

BOURNEMOUTH (1,040kc.) (288.5m.).

10.15 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 10.30-11 :—National programme. 1-2 :—National programme. 2.30-12 :—National programme.

CARDIFF (968kc.) (309.9m.).

10.15 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 10.30-11 :—National programme. 2 :—National programme. 4.45 :—Orchestra. 5.15 :—Children. 6 :—See Swansea. 6.15 :—National programme. 6.35 :—Market Prices for Farmers. 6.40 :—National programme. 9.15 :—News. 9.25-12 :—National programme.

DUBLIN—Call 2RN (413m.), 1kw.

1.30 :—Time, Weather, Stock Report, and Gramophone Concert. 6 :—Gramophone Records. 6.15 :—Children. 7 :—Gramophone Records. 7.10 :—News. 7.20 :—Time and French Lesson. 7.45 :—Talk. 8 :—Concert by the Students' Union of the Royal Irish Academy of Music. 9 :—D. MacColligh—Amhrain Gaedhilge. 9.15 :—The Station Orchestra. 9.30 :—Cecil Nash (bass). 9.30 :—Dance Music. 10.30 :—Time, News, and Weather.

DUNDEE (1,040kc.) (288.5m.).

EDINBURGH (1,040kc.) (288.5m.).

10.15 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 10.30 :—National programme. 11-12 :—See Glasgow. 2.30 :—See Glasgow. 4.15 :—National programme. 6.35 :—See Glasgow. 6.40 :—National programme. 9.15 :—News. 9.25-12 :—National programme.

GLASGOW (752kc.) (398.9m.).

10.15 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 10.30 :—National programme. 11-12 :—Gramophone Records. 2.30 :—For the Schools : Mr. Robert McLeod : Music Making—4. Tunes in the same Mould. 3 :—Orchestra. 3.20 :—Holidays for Stay-at-Homes—1, Mr. Gilbert McAllister : The Clyde Orchard Country. 3.35 :—Music. 3.40 :—Mid-Week Service, conducted by the Rev. W. J. Baxter. 4 :—The Octet : Isobel Wright (pianoforte). 5.15 :—Children. 5.47 :—Birthdays. 5.53 :—Herring Fishing Bulletin. 5.57 :—Weather for Farmers. 6 :—Special Talk for Bee-keepers, Mr. David Yuille : The Clover Honey Harvest. 6.15 :—National programme. 6.35 :—Bulletin of Scottish Market Prices for Farmers. 6.40 :—National programme. 9.15 :—News. 9.25-12 :—National programme.

MANCHESTER (797kc.) (376.4m.).

10.15 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 10.30-11 :—National programme. 12-1 :—The Evmynion Trio : Evelyn Wilcock (violin), Myra Dixon (violoncello), Marion Shuttleworth (pianoforte) ; Adela Clair (soprano). 2.30 :—National programme. 3.45 :—Orchestra, conducted by Horace Fellowes, relayed from the Pavilion Gardens, Buxton. 4.45 :—Gramophone Lecture. 5.15 :—Children. 6 :—National programme. 6.35 :—Market Prices for Northern English Farmers. 6.40 :—National programme. 7.45 :—Alfred M. Wall (violin), from Newcastle. 8.15 :—University of Durham Union Society : Visitors' Night Debate : Motion : That, in the opinion of this House, he goes farthest who goes alone, relayed from the Miners' Hall, Durham. 8.30 :—Music. 9 :—National programme. 9.15 :—The Hallé Orchestra, conducted by Sir Hamilton Harty ; Arthur Catterall (violin) ; Doris Vane (soprano), relayed from the Town Hall, Leeds. 10.15 :—News. 10.25-12 :—Dance Music.

PLYMOUTH (1,040kc.) (288.5m.).

10.15 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 10.30-11 :—National programme. 12-1 :—National programme. 2.30 :—National programme. 5.15 :—Children. 6 :—National programme. 9.15 :—News. 9.25-12 :—National programme.

SWANSEA (1,040kc.) (288.5m.).

10.15 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 10.30-11 :—National programme. 2 :—National programme. 4.45 :—See Cardiff. 6 :—Mr. George Eyre Evans : The Castles of Carmarthenshire. 6.15 :—National programme. 6.35 :—See Cardiff. 6.40 :—National programme. 9.15 :—News. 9.25-12 :—National programme.

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10.15 a.m. :—The Daily Service. 10.30-11.30 :—National programme. 12-1 :—See Manchester. 2.30 :—National programme. 3.45 :—See Manchester. 6 :—National programme. 6.35 :—See Manchester. 6.40 :—National programme. 7.45 :—See Manchester. 9 :—National programme. 9.15 :—News. 9.15-10.40 :—See Manchester. 9.25-12 :—National programme.

FOREIGN STATIONS

NOTE.—Hours of transmission are British Summer Time. Hours are p.m. unless otherwise stated :—

BARCELONA (Radio Barcelona)—Call EAJ (349m.).—10 a.m. :—Sports Notes. 10.15 :—Orchestral Music. 10.30 :—Soprano Song Recital. 11 :—Reading. 11.15 :—Dance Music.

BELGRADE (432m.), 2.5kw.—6 :—Concert from the Moskva Restaurant. 7.30 :—Talks. 8 :—Relay of an Opera from Ljubljana (574.7m.). 10 :—Time Signal and News. 10.15 :—Concert from the Ruski Car Restaurant.

BERLIN (Königswusterhausen) (1,635m.), 26kw.—4.30 :—See Berlin (Witzleben). 5.30 :—Talks. 7.5 :—Advanced Spanish Lesson. 7.30 :—Agricultural Talk. 7.50 :—Weather for Farmers. 8 :—Pianoforte Recital : Ballade, op. 52 (Schumann) ; Ballad in F minor (Chopin) ; Three Preludes—in G major, B minor, and G major (Chopin) ; Two Mazurkas—in C major and C sharp minor (Chopin). 8.40 :—See Berlin (Witzleben). 9.15 :—Orchestral Concert from the Hotel Adlon, followed by News and Dance Music from Witzleben.

BERLIN (Witzleben) (418m.), 1.5kw.—4.5 :—Vocal and Instrumental Concert. 5.30 :—Young People : Programme—Sport. 6 :—Talks. 7 :—Concert of Russian Songs and Folk Melodies by a Harmonium Trio. 7.30 :—Talk. 7.40 :—Orchestral Concert—Overture, Der Schauspieldirektor (Mozart) ; Rondino (Beethoven-Kreisler) ; Caprice viennois (Kreisler) ; Gipsy Songs (Brahms) ; Scene from the Tales of Hoffmann (Offenbach) Lyric Suite (Grieg) ; Waltz, Dorfschwalben aus Österreich (Jos. Strauss). 8.40 :—Peasant Songs (Stravinsky), relayed from the High School for Music. 8.45 :—Topical Talk. 9.15 :—High Mass in D minor, for Solo Voices, Choir, Orchestra and Organ (Haydn), followed by Time, Weather, News, Sports Notes, and Dance Music.

BERNE (403m.), 1kw.—7.55 :—Time and Weather. 8 :—Talk. 8.30 :—Soloist and Orchestral Concert. 10 :—News and Weather. 10.15 :—Orchestral Concert.

BRATISLAVA (279m.), 12.5kw.—7 :—Talk in Russian. 7.5 :—Programme from Moravska Ostrava. 8 :—See Prague. 10.45 :—Programme Announcements.

BRESLAU (325m.), 2kw., and GLEIWITZ (253m.).—4.30 :—Pianoforte Recital. 7.30 :—Weather. 7.32 :—Gramophone Musical Guessing Competition. 8 :—Talk. 8.30 :—Music on Two Pianofortes.—Free Improvisations on the Waltz, The Blue Danube (Joh. Strauss) ; Slavonic Rhapsody (Friedemann) ; Waltz, Frühlingsstimmen (Joh. Strauss) ; Free Improvisations on the Concert Paraphrase by Alfred Grünfeld. 9 :—Reading. 9.40 :—Baritone Song Recital.—Selections (Schubert), (a) Frühlingsglaube, (b) Nacht und Träume, (c) Auf der Donau, (d) Prometheus ; Songs (Schumann), (a) Wohlauf noch getrunken den funkelnden Wein, (b) Auf dem Rhein, (c) Auf das Trinkglas eines verstorbenen Freundes, (d) In der Fremde, (e) Wanderlust, Wie bist du meine Königin (Brahms) ; Wer in die Fremde will wandern (Wolf). 10.20 :—News. 10.45 :—Orchestral Concert and Dance Music from the Haus Metropol, Hindenburg.

BRNO (342m.), 2.4kw.—6.30 :—German Transmission. News and Talk. 7.20 :—Introductory Talk to the following transmission. 7.30 :—The Kiss, Opera in Two Acts (Smetana), relayed from the National Theatre. 10 :—Gramophone Records. 10.30 :—See Prague. 10.45 :—News and Theatre Review.

BRUSSELS (508.5m.), 1kw.—6.30 :—Gramophone Records. 7.30 :—Le Journal Parlé. 8.15 :—Concert for Two Pianos.—Sonata in D (Mozart) ; March and Tarentella (Rachmaninoff) ; En Blanc et Noir (Debussy) ; French Rhapsody (Schmitt). 9.30 :—Hawaiian Guitar Selections. 9.42 :—Gramophone Records. 9.50 :—Musical Saw Selections. 10 :—Gramophone Records. 10.15 :—News.

BUDAPEST (550m.), 20kw.—7.10 :—Orchestral Concert of Light Music. 8.30 :—Talk. 10.10 :—Orchestral Concert.

COPENHAGEN (281m.), 0.75kw., and KALUNDBORG (1,153m.), 7.5kw.—6.50 :—Weather and News. 7.15 :—Time Signal. 7.17 :—Concert by the Berlin Police Orchestra from the Tivoli Concert Hall.—Symphony No. 6 in B Minor, op. 74 (Tchaikovsky) ; Overture, Fantasia, Raskolnikoff (V. Reznicek). 9 :—Songs and Readings. 9.45 :—News and Report of the Jutland Listeners' Association. 10.5 :—Concert of Light Music.—Overture, La Belle Hélène (Offenbach) ; Waltz from A Waltz Dream (O. Straus) ; Minuet (Paderewsky) ; Venetian Barcarolle (de Taeye) ; Selection from La Bohème (Puccini) ; Hungarian Romance (Szirmai) ; Spanish Dance, Valencia (Padilla) ; Selection (Turina).

CRACOW (313m.), 1kw.—6.50 :—Miscellaneous Programme and News. 7.15 :—Novelty Programme. 7.30 :—Talk. 8 :—Time Signal. 8.15 :—Popular Concert from Warsaw. 9.30 :—Literary Programme. 10.15 :—News, Weather, Police, and Sports Notes from Warsaw. 11 :—Dance Music.

FRANKFURT (390m.), 1.5kw., and CASSEL (246m.).—6.35 :—Talk. 7 :—Time and Economic Notes. 7.5 :—French Language Lesson. 7.30 :—Der Rosenkavalier, Opera in Three Acts (R. Strauss), relayed from the Opera House. 10.45 :—News, Sports Notes, and Weather.

HAMBURG—Call ha (in Morse) (372m.), 3kw. and BREMEN (318.8m.) ; FLENSBURG (218m.) ; HANOVER (560m.) ; KIEL (232.2m.).—6.5 :—Programme to be announced. 6.45 :—Talks. 7.50 :—Exchange and Weather. 8 :—Great Grandmother, Grandmother, Mother and child—A Popular Song Revue on related Themes. 10.30 :—Talks, News, Weather, Sports and Miscellaneous Announcements. 10.50 :—Concert from the Café Wallhof.

HILVERSUM (298m.), 6.5kw. (After 5.40 p.m. on 1,071m.).—9.40 a.m. :—Time, Daily Service. 11.40 :—Quintet Concert. 1.40 :—Talk for Women. 2.10 :—Relay of the Opening of the Zevenmilb Exhibition. 2.40 :—Gramophone Records. 3.40 :—Programme for Hospitals. 5.10 :—Octet Concert. 5.40 :—Time Signal. 5.42 :—Concert—'Cello Solos ; Selection from La Wally (Catalani) ; Waltz, Tales from the Vienna Woods (Joh. Strauss) ; Serenade (Pierné) ; Selection from Lilac Time (Schubert-Berté) ; In the interval at 6.10 :—Exchange Quotations. 6.55 :—Gramophone Records. 7.25 :—Talk. 7.55 :—Relay of the Second and Third Acts of Siegfried—Opera (Wagner) from the Stadsschouwburg, Amsterdam. In the interval at 9.25 :—Gramophone Records, Weather, and News. After the Programme, Gramophone Records.

HUIZEN (1,875m.), 6.5kw.—7.55 a.m. :—Concert. 9.40 :—Programme by a Ladies' Choir. 10.10 :—Programme for Hospitals. 10.40 :—Reading. 11.10 :—Agricultural Talk. 11.40 :—Police Notes. 12.10 :—Instrumental Concert. 2.25 :—Lesson in Handicrafts. 3.40 :—Programme for Hospitals. 4.40 :—Gramophone Records. 5.25 :—Organ Recital. 6.25 :—Talks. 7.25 :—Police Notes. 7.40 :—Relay of a Salvation Army Meeting from Groningen ; Musical Programme and Addresses. 9.40 :—News. 9.50 :—Gramophone Records.

LAHTI (1,800m.), 40kw. and HELSINGFORS (221m.).—7.5 :—Harp Solos. 7.25 :—Talk. 7.40 :—'Cello Recital. 8 :—Orchestral Concert. 8.45 :—News in Finnish and Swedish. 9.15 :—Military Music from the Kappeli Restaurant.

LANGENBERG (473m.), 13kw. and AIX-LA-CHAPELLE (453m.) ; COLOGNE (227m.) ; MUNSTER (234m.).—6.45 :—Talk. 7 :—Report on economics, Weather, and Sports Notes. 7.10 :—Talk. 7.30 :—Sports Review. 7.40 :—Talk. 8 :—Orpheus and Eurydice—Opera in Three Acts (Gluck), followed by News, Sports and Miscellaneous announcements and Concert.

LEIPZIG (259m.), 1.5kw. and DRESDEN (319m.).—7 :—Talk. 7.30 :—Choral Concert. 8.40 :—Over Night—Wireless Play (Poritzki). 9.20 :—Orchestral Concert of Symphony Music. Second Symphony in G major (Batther) ; Concerto in A major for 'Cello and Orchestra (Dvorak). 10.30 :—Wireless Hints, Time, Weather, News, and Sports Notes.

MADRID (Union Radio)—Call EAJ 7 (424m.), 2kw.—7.50 :—Exchange Quotations, Market Prices and News. 11 :—Chimes, Time, Exchange quotations, and sextet Selections. 12 (Midnight) :—Talk : The Theatre World. 1 a.m. (Friday) :—Chimes, News, and Dance Music.

MILAN—Call 1MI (501m.), 7kw.—7.15 :—See Turin. 8 :—Report of the Geographical Society ; Announcements and News. 8.20 :—Talk. 8.30 :—Time Signal. 8.32 :—L'Amico Fritz, opera (Mascagni). 11.30 :—News and Light Music.

MUNICH (533m.), 1.5kw., and AUGSBURG (560m.), KAISERSLAUTERN (270m.), NURNBERG (239m.).—7 :—Poems. 7.30 :—Orchestral Concert. 9 :—Choral and Orchestral Selections. 10 :—The Wireless Reporter visits Professor Emil Preetorius. 10.20 :—News. 10.45 :—Orchestral Concert and Dance Music, relayed from the Café Luitpold.

OSLO (493m.), 60kw., and FREDRIKSSTAD (368m.), HAMAR (587m.), NOTODDEN (447m.), PORSGRUND (453m.), RJUKAN (447m.).—6.45 :—Service from the Studio. 7.15 :—Weather and News. 7.30 :—German Language Lesson. 8 :—Programme to be announced. 8.30 :—'Cello Recital. 9 :—Concert by a Women's Choir. 9.35 :—Weather and News. 9.55 :—Topical Talk. 10.10 :—Accordion Recital.

PARIS (Radio Paris)—Call CFR (1,725m.), 12kw.—12.30 :—Gramophone Concert. In the intervals : At 1 Exchange Quotations and News, and at 1.30 Exchange Quotations. 2 :—Exchange ; Market Prices. 3.30 :—Exchange Quotations. 3.45 :—Dance Music. 4.15 :—Children. 4.55 :—News and Exchange Quotations. 5 :—Medical Talk. 6.30 :—New York Exchange Rates. 6.35 :—Agricultural Report and Racing Results. 7 :—Talk. 7.30 :—Advanced Bookkeeping Lesson. 7.45 :—Commercial Prices, Economic and Social Notes, and News. 8 :—Literary Readings. 8.30 :—Sports Review. 8.45 :—The Kreutzer Sonata for Violin and Piano (Beethoven). 9.15 :—Press Review, News, and Time Signal. 9.30 :—Concert—La Bonne Chanson (Fauré) ; Trio for Piano, Violin, and 'Cello (Saint-Saëns).

PRAGUE (487m.), 5kw.—7.30 :—Reading. 8 :—Violin Recital. 8.25 :—Sports Notes. 8.30 :—Peter Simple and the Dragon, play (Lada). 9.30 :—Brass Band Concert. 10.30 :—News and Announcements. 10.45 :—Theatre Review and Programme Announcements.

ROME—Call 1RO (441m.), 50kw. Programme relayed by Naples (331.4m.).—8.15 :—Giornale parlato ; Announcements and Sports Notes. 8.30 (Rome only) :—Weather, News and Press Review. 9 :—Time Signal. 9.2 :—Concert of Russian Music—Overture, Prince Igor (Borodine) ; Three Choral Selections—(a) Praise the Name of God (Arkangelsky), (b) Cherubim (Lomakin), (c) Kyrie Eleison (Anon.) ; Selection (Slaviansky-Agrénef) ; Symphonic Suite from The Snow Maiden (Rimsky-Korsakoff) ; Soprano Solos—(a) Silence (Kaschevaroff), (b) Troika (Davinkoff) ; Selections from Kovanstchina (Moussorgsky) ; Choral Selections—Humorous Ukranian Scene for Choir (Lissenko) ; Overture, Carnival (Glazounoff). News after the programme.

STOCKHOLM—Call SASA (436m.), 1.5kw., and MOTALA (1,348m.), 30kw., BODEN (1,200m.), GOTEBORG (322m.), HORBY (257m.), OSTERSUND (770m.), SUNDSVALL (542m.).—6 :—Evensong. 6.30 :—Gramophone Records. 7.30 :—Talk. 7.50 :—Political Review. 8.10 :—Soloist Concert—Serenade Op. 75 for Flute, Viola, and Guitar (Call) ; Guitar Solos—(a) Ballade circassienne (Gottin), (b) Polonaise (Padovetz), (c) Lagrima (Tarrega), (d) Etude (Mertz). 8.45 :—Talk on Iceland, relayed from Göteborg. 9.45 :—Orchestral Concert.

STUTTGART (360m.), 1.5kw., and FREIBURG (570m.).—7 :—Time Signal. 7.5-10.45 :—Programme from Frankfurt. 10.45 :—News.

TOULOUSE (Radiophonie du Midi) (381m.), 8kw.—7 :—Selections by an Argentine Orchestra. 7.15 :—News. 7.30 :—Transmission of Pictures. 7.40 :—'Cello Recital. 8 :—Exchange Quotations. 8.15 :—Light Music. 8.25 :—Accordion Recital, followed by Selections from (a) Mireille (Gounod) ; (b) La Tosca (Puccini) ; (c) I Pagliacci (Leoncavallo). 9 :—Time Signal and Orchestral Concert. 9.55 :—Fashion Talk. 10.15 :—North African News.

TURIN—Call 1TO (291m.), 7kw.—8.15 a.m.-7.15 :—Programme relayed from Milan. 7.15 :—Concert. 8-12 (midnight) :—See Milan.

VIENNA (516.3m.), 15kw., and GRAZ (352.5m.) ; INNSBRUCK (283.5m.) ; KLAGENFURT (453.2m.), and LINZ (245.9m.).—6.45 :—Humorous Songs and Dances of Great-Grandfather's Day—Violin, Soprano, and Pianoforte Selections. 8.15 :—Time, Weather, and Programme Announcements. 8.20 :—Ballet Music, followed by Concert.

OTHER FOREIGN STATIONS

The following stations will also broadcast varied programmes beginning at the times stated :—

KATOWICE (408.7m.), 10kw.—7 a.m.
KONIGSBERG (276m.), 3kw.—6 a.m.
LAUSANNE—Call HB2 (680m.), 1.5kw.—6.45 a.m.
LYONS (Radio Lyon) (286m.), 1.5kw.—10.30 a.m.
PITTSBURGH, Pa.—Call KDKA (306m.), 25kw.—1 p.m.—Programme relayed at intervals on 25m. from 11 p.m.
SCHENECTADY, N.Y.—Call WGY (379.5m.), 50kw.—11.45 a.m.—Relayed by 2XAF on 31.48m. from 11.30 p.m.-6 a.m.
WARSAW (1,411m.), 10kw.—10.15 a.m.
ZAGREB (307m.), 0.7kw.—11.30 a.m.
ZURICH (458m.), 0.63kw.—12.30 p.m

SPORT AND THE SEASON

PICTURES IN "THE TIMES WEEKLY EDITION"

In Ascot Week the Season is at its height, and the public interest in various forms of sport runs high—intensified this year by the presence of the Australian Cricketers. The pictures in *The Times Weekly Edition*, which is published to-day, illustrate the important events which have recently occurred. There is a full page photograph of the arrival of the King and Queen at the Royal Stand at Ascot, and other subjects dealt with pictorially are the presentation of new colours by the King to the Eton O.T.C. at Windsor Castle, the Richmond Royal Horse Show, the Test Match at Nottingham, the May races at Cambridge, the Wightman Cup competition, ballooning, and the Hampshire Pageant at Hursley Park.

Besides full summaries of the news of the week, *The Times Weekly Edition* contains articles on "The Future of Education," by Lord Eustace Percy, M.P. ; "Italy and France," "Yorkshire Hill Tops," London and Paris Fashions, "A Door in Heaven," and a final selection of extracts from the Gladstone letters which have been presented recently to the British Museum. Among the usual weekly features are bridge and chess articles, a crossword problem, and reviews of the sport, finance, books, and entertainments of the week.

The Times Weekly Edition is published every Thursday, price 4d. The subscription rates, post free, are :—United Kingdom and Canada, three months, 5s. 6d. ; six months, 11s. ; 12 months, 22s. Other countries :—Three months, 6s. 3d. ; six months, 12s. 6d. ; 12 months, 25s. Inquiries should be addressed to the Publisher, *The Times Weekly Edition*, Printing House-square, London, E.C.4.

MILK FOR SCHOOLS

The question of a pure milk supply for schools will be discussed at a meeting of the Parents' Association, to be held at 11, Chandos-street, Cavendish-square, by permission of the Medical Society of London, next Monday, at 3. The speaker will be Mr. S. R. Whitley, vice-president of the British Dairy Farmers' Association, who in a recent article in the *Countryman* pointed out that so far as he had been able to ascertain few schools went to very great lengths in investigating the sources of their milk supply. Heads of schools, school bursars, and all who are engaged in school and institutional catering, together with those generally interested in the subject, will be welcome at the meeting (for which tickets can be had from Miss J. M. Harvey, 56, Manchester-street, W.), especially if they will take part in the discussion.

Mails and Shipping

OUTWARD MAILS

TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES

Mails will be dispatched from London to the destinations shown.

The times given are the latest hours for posting at the General Post Office, King Edward-street, London, E.C.1. In some of the district offices collections will be closed earlier.

9 A.M.—To Egypt (exc. Port Said).
NOON.—To Argentine, Bolivia, Chile (exc. North), Paraguay and Uruguay, Canary Islands (all parts), Guiana (British, French, and Dutch), China (all parts)*, Japan*, West Coast of Africa (Sierra Leone, Liberia), West Indies (Barbados, Grenada, St. Vincent and St. Lucia).
5.30 P.M.—To Argentine, Bolivia, Chile (exc. North), Paraguay and Uruguay††, Brazil (Rio and Santos)††, Canada (all parts) (Mag. Post).
6 P.M.—To Australia, Ceylon, China (all parts), Dutch East Indies, East Africa (Kenya, Uganda, Zanzibar and Tanganyika), Egypt, Cyprus, Sudan, Palestine, &c., India, Aden, Persia (exc. North, Abadan, Bushire and Mohammerah), Seychelles, Iraq and Persia (Abadan, Bushire and Mohammerah), New Zealand, Straits Settlements, Siam, French Indo China, North Borneo, &c., Air Mail to Australia (Adelaide, &c.) and all Eastern State Cities, New Zealand.§
8 P.M.—To Brazil (all parts) (exc. Rio and Santos), Falkland Islands, Peru (Iquitos).

TO-MORROW (FRIDAY)

2 A.M.—To Canada (Quebec City, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island), Canada (Nova Scotia), United States*, Bahamas, Bermuda, Central America (British Honduras, Guatemala, Honduras Republic, Nicaragua, Panama, Salvador), Cuba and Mexico, Chile (North), Colombia (exc. Santa Marta), Peru (exc. Iquitos).
7.30 A.M.—To New Zealand.*
11.30 A.M.—To Madeira, Mauritius, Portuguese East Africa (exc. Porto Amelia), South and South West Africa (Union Provinces, Rhodesia, Nyasaland, Bechuanaland, &c.), Air Mail to South Africa (Port Elizabeth, East London, Durban, &c.)*§.
NOON.—To China (all parts)*, Japan*.
5.30 P.M.—To Canada (exc. Nova Scotia) (Mag. Post), Canada (Nova Scotia) (Mag. Post), Argentine, Bolivia, Chile (exc. North), Paraguay and Uruguay††.
6 P.M.—To Brazil (exc. Rio and Santos)†, Madeira†, Peru (Iquitos)†.

FULL LIST OF DISPATCHES

In the following table are shown the main oversea mails, other than daily, including those set out above, to be dispatched shortly from London :—

Destination	Posting at G.P.O., London	
ARGENTINE, BOLIVIA, CHILE (exc. North), PARAGUAY AND URUGUAY : B. Star (Tuscan Star)	June 19	Noon
R.M.S.P.†† (Almanzora)	June 19	5.30 p.m.
Houston†† (Marslew)	June 20	5.30 p.m.
Ger. pkt.† (Cap Polonio)	June 21	6 p.m.
Nelson (Highland Hope)	June 28	7.30 a.m.
ASCENSION AND ST. HELENA : U.-Castle (Durham Castle)	June 26	7.30 a.m.
AUSTRALIA : P. & O. (Rajputana and Cathay)	June 19	6 p.m.
Orient (Orama)	June 26	6 p.m.
AUSTRALIA (Adelaide, &c.) AND ALL EASTERN STATE CITIES : Air Mails§	June 19	6 p.m.
BAHAMAS, BERMUDA, PERU (exc. Iquitos) : Via N.Y. (Bremen)	June 20	2 a.m.
BRAZIL (Rio, Santos) : R.M.S.P.†† (Almanzora)	June 19	5.30 p.m.
(exc. Rio, Santos) : R.M.S.P. (Almanzora)	June 19	8 p.m.
(exc. Rio, Santos) : R.M.S.P.† (Almanzora)	June 20	6 p.m.
(Rio, Santos) : Ger. pkt.† (Cap Polonio)	June 21	6 p.m.
(Pernam, Bahia) : R.M.S.P. (Sabor)	June 26	Noon
(Bahia) : L. & H. (Euclid)	June 27	8 p.m.
(Rio, Santos) : Nelson (Highland Hope)	June 28	7.30 a.m.
CANADA (Quebec City, &c.) : Direct (Duchess of Bedford)	June 20	2 a.m.
(Quebec City, &c.) : Direct (Emp. of Australia)	June 21	2 a.m.
(Nova Scotia) : Direct (Duchess of Bedford)	June 20	2 a.m.
(Nova Scotia) : Direct (Pennland)	June 21	2 a.m.
(exc. Quebec City, &c.) : Via N.Y. (Mauretania)	June 21	2 a.m.
(exc. Quebec City, &c.) : Via N.Y. (Homeric)	June 25	2 a.m.
(all parts) : Direct (Montcalm)	June 26	2 a.m.
(Mag. Post) (all parts) : Direct (Duchess of Bedford)	June 19	5.30 p.m.
(Mag. Post) (exc. N. Scotia) : Direct (Emp. of Australia)	June 20	5.30 p.m.
(Mag. Post) (Nova Scotia) : Direct (Pennland)	June 20	5.30 p.m.
(Mag. Post) (all parts) : Direct (Montcalm)	June 25	5.30 p.m.
CANARY ISLANDS (all parts) : E.D. (Badagry)	June 19	Noon
(all parts) : Via Madrid and Cadiz	June 21	7.30 a.m.
(all parts) : E. & F. (Orotava)	June 23	8 p.m.
(all parts) : U.-Castle (Durham Castle)	June 26	7.30 a.m.
CAPE VERDE IS. : Via Lisbon	July 7	6 p.m.
CENTRAL AMERICA (B. Honduras, Guatemala, Honduras Republic, Nicaragua, Panama, Salvador), CUBA AND MEXICO : Via N.Y. (Bremen)	June 20	2 a.m.
CEYLON : P. & O. (Rajputana and Cathay)	June 19	6 p.m.
Orient (Orama)	June 26	6 p.m.
CHINA (all parts) : Via Siberia*	Daily	Noon
(all parts) : Holt* (Sarpedon)	June 24	6 p.m.
(all parts) : Via Suez (Rajputana)	June 19	6 p.m.
(Shanghai and N. China) : Via N.Y. (Mauretania)	June 21	2 a.m.
COLOMBIA (exc. S. Marta, CHILE (N.) : Via N.Y. (Bremen)	June 20	2 a.m.
(S. Marta) : E. & F. (Bayano)	June 27	7.30 a.m.
COSTA RICA : Via N.Y. (Mauretania)	June 21	2 a.m.
E. & F. (Ariguani)	June 28	7.30 a.m.
DUTCH EAST INDIES : P. & O. (Rajputana)	June 19	6 p.m.
Du. pkt. (Prinses Juliana)	June 24	6 p.m.
Du. pkt. (Prinses Juliana)	June 25	1.30 p.m.
EAST AFRICA (Kenya, Uganda, Zanzibar and Tanganyika) : P. & O. (Rajputana)	June 19	6 p.m.
EGYPT, CYPRUS, SUDAN, PALESTINE, &c. : P. & O. (Rajputana)	June 19	6 p.m.
EGYPT, SUDAN, PALESTINE, &c. : Air Mails§	June 21	6 a.m.
EGYPT, SUDAN, PALESTINE AND SYRIA : Fr. pkt. (P. Loti)	June 21	6 p.m.
EGYPT, PALESTINE AND SYRIA : Ital. pkt. (Esperia)	June 24	6 p.m.
Ital. pkt. (Esperia)	June 25	9 a.m.
EGYPT (exc. Port Said) AND SUDAN : Ital. pkt. (Vienna)	June 25	6 p.m.
EGYPT (exc. Pt. Said) : Ital. pkt. (Helouan)	June 19	6 p.m.
Ital. pkt. (Vienna)	June 26	9 a.m.
FALKLAND IS. : Via M'video (Almanzora)	June 19	8 p.m.
FIJI AND SAMOA : Via 'Frisco (Homeric and Ventura)	June 25	2 a.m.
GUIANA (Br., Fr., Du.) : Harrison (Ingoma)	June 19	Noon
Du. pkt. (Stuyvesant)	June 21	7.30 a.m.
Booker (Amakura)	June 26	8 p.m.
INDIA, ADEN, PERSIA (exc. North), (Abadan, Bushire and Mohammerah) AND SEYCHELLES : P. & O. (Rajputana)	June 19	6 p.m.
INDIA, IRAQ, PERSIA AND PERSIAN GULF : Air Mails‖	June 21	6 a.m.
IRAQ, PERSIA (Abadan, Bushire, and Mohammerah) : P. & O. (Rajputana)	June 19	6 p.m.
Fr. pkt. (P. Loti)	June 21	6 p.m.
JAMAICA : Via N.Y. (Mauretania)	June 21	2 a.m.
J.D.F. (Jamaica Settler)	June 23	Noon
Via N.Y. (Homeric)	June 25	2 a.m.
JAPAN : Via Siberia*	Daily	Noon
Via N.Y. (Mauretania)	June 21	2 a.m.
Via N.Y. (Homeric)	June 25	2 a.m.
MADEIRA : U.-Castle (Saxon)	June 20	11.30a.m
R.M.S.P.† (Almanzora)	June 20	6 p.m.
MAURITIUS : Via Durban (Saxon)	June 20	11.30a.m
NEWFOUNDLAND : Direct (Nova Scotia)	June 24	2 a.m.
Via Canada : (Montcalm)	June 26	2 a.m.
(Mag. Post) : Direct (Nova Scotia)	June 23	5.30 p.m.
(Mag. Post) : Via Canada (Montcalm)	June 25	5.30 p.m.
NEW ZEALAND : Via Suez (Rajputana)	June 19	6 p.m.
Via Panama* (Corinthic)	June 20	7.30 a.m.
NEW ZEALAND : Air Mails‖	June 19	6 p.m.
PERU (Iquitos) : R.M.S.P. (Almanzora)	June 19	8 p.m.
R.M.S.P.† (Almanzora)	June 20	6 p.m.
PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA (exc. Pto. Amelia) : U.-Castle (Saxon)	June 20	11.30a.m
SOUTH AFRICA (Port Elizabeth, East London, Durban, &c.) : Air Mails*§	June 20	11.30a.m
SOUTH AND SOUTH-WEST AFRICA (Union Provinces, Rhodesia, Nyasaland, Bechuanaland, &c.) : U.-Castle (Saxon)	June 20	11.30a.m
STRAITS SETTLEMENTS : Holt* (Sarpedon)	June 24	6 p.m.
STRAITS SETTLEMENTS, SIAM, FRENCH INDO-CHINA, NORTH BORNEO, &c. : P. & O. (Rajputana)	June 19	6 p.m.
UNITED STATES : Ger. pkt.* (Bremen)	June 20	2 a.m.
Cunard (Mauretania)	June 21	2 a.m.
Fr. pkt.* (Paris)	June 21	Noon
W. Star (Homeric)	June 25	2 a.m.
VENEZUELA : Du. Pkt. (Stuyvesant)	June 21	7.30 a.m.
Leyland (Daytonian)	June 25	2 a.m.
WEST COAST OF AFRICA : Belgian Congo (exc. Katanga) and French Middle Congo : Fr. pkt. (Foucauld)	June 21	6 p.m.
Bel. pkt. (Elizabethville)	July 4	6 p.m.
Fr. Equatorial Africa (Gabon), Fr. Senegal and Sudan : Fr. pkt. (Foucauld)	June 21	6 p.m.
Fr. pkt. (Phrygie)	June 23	6 p.m.
Sierra Leone, Liberia, Gold Coast, Nigeria, Ivory Coast, Dahomey, Br. and Fr. Togoland, Br. and Fr. Cameroons : E.D. (Apapa)	July 2	2 a.m.
Fr. Guinea, Ivory Coast, Fr. Togoland, Dahomey, and Fr. Cameroons : Fr. pkt. (Foucauld)	June 21	6 p.m.
Sierra Leone, Liberia : E.D. (Badagry)	June 19	Noon
Sierra Leone, Ivory Cst. : E.D. (Bata)	June 23	8 p.m.
Fr. Togoland and Dahomey : Holt (Thomas Holt)	June 25	8 p.m.
Fernando Po and Spanish Guinea : E.D. (Abinsi)	July 9	2 a.m.
WEST INDIES (Leeward) : Via N.Y. (Mauretania)	June 21	2 a.m.
Du. pkt. (Stuyvesant)	June 21	7.30 a.m.
(Barbados, &c.) : Harrison (Ingoma)	June 19	Noon
(Barbados, &c.) : Du. pkt. (Stuyvesant)	June 21	7.30 a.m.
(Barbados, &c.) : Leyland (Daytonian)	June 25	2 a.m.
(Trinidad) : Du. pkt. (Stuyvesant)	June 21	7.30 a.m.
(Trinidad) : Leyland (Daytonian)	June 25	2 a.m.

* Correspondence to be forwarded by this route must be specially so addressed.
§ Air fee is 4d. per oz. in addition to the ordinary postage.
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To Egypt and Palestine, &c. .. .. 2d. per half oz.
„ Iraq .. .. 3½d. „
„ Persia and India (Karachi) .. .. 5d. „
„ India (Delhi, Bombay, and S. India) 7d. „
An Air Mail label should be attached.
† Letters and post-cards only.
†† Printed papers, letters, and post-cards will be sent by this dispatch only when addressed accordingly.

DISPATCHES OF PARCEL MAILS

Parcel mails will be dispatched to the destinations shown, the times given being the hours for posting at the General Post Office. **TO-DAY, 9 A.M.**—To Dutch East Indies (exc. Sumatra), Dutch East Indies (Sumatra only), Hong-kong (via Suez), New Zealand (direct), Straits Settlements, Siam, &c. **11 A.M.**—To Dutch West Indies, Fiji (via Canada), Venezuela, West Indies (Barbados, Grenada, St. Lucia, Trinidad and Tobago). **1.15 P.M.**—To Australia, Canary Islands, Ceylon, New Zealand (via Australia), Portugal, Rhodesia (via Cape Town), South Africa and Madeira. **6 P.M.**—To Bahamas and Bermuda, British Honduras (via U.S.A.), Honduras Republic (via U.S.A.), Mexico (via U.S.A.), West Indies (Leeward Islands). **TO-MORROW, 9 A.M.**—To Canada (exc. Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island), Canada (Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island only), China (via Canada), China (via U.S.A.), Colombia (exc. Pacific Coast), Estonia, Japan (via Canada), Japan (via U.S.A.), Latvia, Panama Canal Zone (via U.S.A.), Poland, Russia-in-Europe and Russia-in-Asia, United States. **1.15 P.M.**—To Egypt, Sudan, Palestine and Syria (via France), Iraq and Persia (via France and Desert Motor Service), Malta. **6 P.M.**—To British Honduras (via Jamaica), Guatemala (via Jamaica).

INWARD MAILS DUE

Letter mails are expected from the following countries and will probably be delivered in London as shown :—**TO-DAY.**—U.S.A., Canada, Bermuda, Bahamas, British Honduras, Jamaica, Mexico and Central America, by ss. Paris. U.S.A., Mexico and Central America, by ss. Deutschland. **TO-MORROW.**—Argentine, Uruguay and Brazil, by ss. Orania. Argentine, Uruguay and Brazil, by ss. Darro. China and Japan, via Siberia. Kenya, Uganda and Tanganyika, by ss. Chambord.

LINERS EXPECTED

The following table shows the approximate times at which, according to the latest information available, incoming liners are expected at home ports :—

TO-DAY

DARRO (R.M.S.P.), from South America ; Liverpool, 5 p.m.
DEUTSCHLAND (Ham.-Am.), from New York ; Southampton, 10 a.m.
MACEDONIA (P. & O.), from Bombay ; Plymouth, 9 a.m. Due Tilbury Dock, Friday, 8 a.m.
ORMONDE (Orient), from Australia ; London, 8 a.m.

TO-MORROW

DUCHESS OF YORK (C.P.R.), from Montreal ; Liverpool, p.m.
ORANIA (A.H.L.), from Buenos Aires ; Southampton, p.m.

FORTHCOMING SAILINGS

Particulars of forthcoming sailings of liners from this country will be found in the companies' announcements on page 2.

MOVEMENTS OF LINERS

(FROM OWNERS AND LLOYD'S)

ABERDEEN
THEMISTOCLES .. For L'pool, left Pt. Natal 16th.

ABERDEEN AND COMMONWEALTH LINE
HOBSONS BAY .. For Brisbane, left Colombo 17th.
JERVIS BAY .. Fm. Brisbane, arr. Ldn. 18th.
MORETON BAY .. Fm. Ldn., arr. Brisbane 16th.

AFRICAN
ABINSI .. Fm. Calabar, arr. Madeira 17th.
BASSA .. For Cont., left Accra 16th.
HENRY STANLEY .. For Cont., cld. Las Palmas 17th.
NEW MEXICO .. For Cape Cst., left Takoradi 15th.

AMERICAN-LEVANT LINE
BANTRIA .. Fm. Patras, arr. Naples 14th.
RIVER DELAWARE For Volo, left Constantinople 16th.
RIVER ORONTES .. For Haifa, left Jaffa 16th.

BEN LINE
BENDORAN .. For Kobe, left Keelung 17th.
BENVENUE .. For Far East, left Ldn. 18th.

BIBBY
CHESHIRE .. Fm. Ldn., arr. Rangoon 15th.

BLUE FUNNEL
ANTENOR .. Fm. N. China, arr. Singapore 15th.
ANTILOCHUS .. Fm. N.Y., arr. Sabang 15th.
BELLEROPHON .. Fm. L'pool, arr. Shanghai 14th.
DEMODOCUS .. Fm. L'pool, arr. Yokohama 14th.
MACHAON .. Fm. Japan, arr. L'pool 17th.
MELAMPUS .. Fm. Java, arr. Amsterdam 17th.
MENESTHEUS .. Fm. N.Y., arr. Pt. Said 16th.
MENTOR .. Fm. L'pool, arr. Singapore 15th.
PATROCLUS .. Fm. N. China, arr. Ldn. 17th.
PHILOCTETES .. For Japan, left Pt. Swettenham 15th.
POLYDORUS .. Fm. L'pool, arr. Pt. Said 17th.
TROILUS .. For Manila, left Singapore 15th.

BLUE STAR
AFRIC STAR .. For Ldn., left Santos 16th.
ANDALUCIA STAR .. For B. Aires, cld. Madeira 17th.
ARANDORA STAR .. For Med. cruise, left Sthmtn. 18th.
DORIC STAR .. For China, arr. Penang 17th.

BOOTH
PANCRAS .. Fm. Para, arr. Manaos 16th.

BRITISH AND AFRICAN
APAPA .. For L'pool, left S. Leone 15th.
BOMPATA .. For Pt. Natal, left Beira 17th.
CALGARY .. Fm. Montreal, arr. S. Leone 15th.
DAGOMBA .. Fm. L'pool, arr. S. Leone 14th.
NEW BROOKLYN .. For W. Africa, left Newport N. 16th.
NEW TORONTO .. Fm. Duala, arr. Lagos 18th.

CANADIAN PACIFIC
DUCHESS OF RICHMOND .. Fm. L'pool, due Quebec 20th.
DUCHESS OF YORK Fm. Montreal, due Belfast 20th.
EMP. OF AUSTRALIA Fm. Quebec, arr. Cherbourg 18th.
EMP. OF JAPAN .. Fm. L'pool, due Quebec 20th.
METAGAMA .. For Sthmtn., left Antwerp 18th.

CLAN LINE
CLAN MACBEAN .. Fm. E. Africa, arr. Kilwa Kisiwani 16th.
CLAN MACBETH .. Fm. S. Africa, arr. Durban 17th.
CLAN MACBRIDE .. For Bombay, left L'pool 18th.
CLAN MACILWRAITH For Ldn., left Pt. Said 17th.
CLAN MACIVER .. For S. and E. Africa, left Cape T. 17th.
CLAN MACVICAR .. Fm. Chittagong, arr. Madras 18th.
CLAN OGILVY .. For Brisbane, left Mombasa 17th.
CLAN SINCLAIR .. For Ldn., left Vizagapatam 17th.
CLAN STUART .. Fm. Ldn., arr. E. Ldn. 17th.
HALIARTUS .. For Swansea, left L'pool 18th.
HARMODIUS .. For Madagascar, left L. Marques 17th.
HARMONIDES .. Arr. Calcutta 17th.

COMPAGNIE GENERALE
DE GRASSE .. For Havre, left N.Y. 17th.
DE LA SALLE .. For Houston, left Las Palmas 17th.
ROUSSILLON .. For N.Y., left Halifax 17th.

COSULICH LINE
VULCANIA .. Arr. N.Y. 16th.

CUNARD AND ASSOCIATED LINES
CUNARD
ANTONIA .. Fm. Montreal, arr. L'pool 17th.
AQUITANIA .. For Sthmtn., left N.Y. 18th.
BERENGARIA .. For N.Y., 1,219 miles west Bishops, noon 17th.
ANCHOR
CALEDONIA .. For N.Y., 505 miles west Inishtrahull 6 a.m. 16th.
ANCHOR-DONALDSON
ATHENIA .. For Montreal, 500 miles from Inishtrahull 1 p.m. 16th.
LETITIA .. For Clyde, 50 miles from Cape Race 2 p.m. 16th.
COMMONWEALTH AND DOMINION
PORT AUCKLAND .. Fm. Sydney, arr. Ldn. 18th.
PORT DARWIN .. Fm. Hobart, arr. Brisbane 17th.
PORT HARDY .. For Ldn., cld. Las Palmas 17th.
PORT WELLINGTON Fm. Sydney, arr. Suez 17th.

DONALDSON
CONCORDIA .. Fm. Ldn., arr. Chatham 14th.
CORACERO .. Fm. R. Plate, arr. Ldn. 17th.

ELDERS AND FYFFES
CARARE .. For Pt. Limon, cld. Trinidad 14th.
CORRALES .. For L'pool, left Jamaica 14th.
MANISTEE .. For Bremen, left Castilla 12th.
MOTAGUA .. For A'mouth, left Bermuda 16th.
PACUARE .. For A'mouth, left Tela 13th.
PATIA .. For Bremen, left Jamaica 13th.
OROTAVA .. Fm. Teneriffe, arr. L'pool 17th.
REVENTAZON .. Fm. S. Marta, arr. Gothenburg 15th.
ZENT .. For R'dam, left S. Marta 14th.

ELLERMAN'S CITY AND HALL
CITY OF BAGDAD .. Fm. L'pool, arr. Dar-es-Salaam 16th.
CITY OF BEDFORD .. For Baltimore, left Philadel. 16th.
CITY OF BENARES .. Fm. Calcutta, arr. Ldn. 18th.
CITY OF CARDIFF .. Fm. Rangoon, arr. Suez 18th.
CITY OF DURHAM .. Fm. N.Y., arr. Pt. Said 17th.
CITY OF PITTSBURG For S. and E. Africa, left Middlesbro' 17th.

FURNESS LINES
NEWFOUNDLAND .. Fm. L'pool, arr. Halifax 16th.

GLEN
CARNARVONSHIRE .. For Hull, left Ldn. 17th.
GLENAPP .. For Vladivostock, left Colombo 17th.
GLENGARRY .. For Far East, arr. Pt. Said 18th.
GLENIFFER .. For U.K., left Shanghai 17th.
GLENLUCE .. Fm. Far East, arr. Hull 18th.
GLENSHANE .. For Vladivostock, arr. Penang 18th.
PEMBROKESHIRE .. For U.K., left Penang 16th.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA
AMMON .. For Hamburg, left Colombo 18th.
BADEN .. For Hamburg, left B. Aires 16th.
BURGENLAND .. For Tsingtao, left Hong-kong 17th.
FEODOSIA .. Fm. Hamburg, arr. Kingston, Ja., 17th.
FRIESLAND .. For Tsingtao, left Hong-kong 17th.
GEN. ARTIGAS .. For Hamburg, cld. Bahia 17th.
GEN. OSORIO .. For B. Aires, left Lisbon 17th.
HAVENSTEIN .. For Yokohama, left Colombo 17th.
LEVERKUSEN .. For Hamburg, cld. Perim 17th.
LUNEBURG .. For Singapore, left Batavia 18th.
ORINOCO .. For W. Indies, left Sthmtn. 18th.
RUHR .. For San Antonio, left Talcahuano 17th.
TACOMA .. For Hamburg, left 'Frisco 14th.

HARRISON
ASTRONOMER .. For E. Ldn., left Walvis B. 17th.

HOLLAND-AMERIKA
DINTELDIJK .. For Ldn., left Los Angeles 14th.

JAMAICA DIRECT FRUIT LINE
JAMAICA SETTLER Fm. Jamaica, arr. Ldn. 17th.

LAMPORT AND HOLT
BOSWELL .. For N.Y., left 'Frisco 17th.
HERSCHEL .. Fm. B. Aires, arr. L'pool 18th.
HOGARTH .. For L'pool, left Rio Janeiro 17th.
HOLBEIN .. Fm. Rio Grande, arr. Clyde 17th.

LEYLAND
DARIAN .. For Sabine, left Colon 17th.
DELILIAN .. Fm. Norfolk, arr. L'pool 18th.
MELTONIAN .. Fm. N.Y., arr. L'pool 18th.
NORWEGIAN .. For Sabine, left Galveston 17th.

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES
BER. DE ST. PIERRE For M'seilles, cld. Aden 17th.
CHAMBORD .. Fm. Mauritius, arr. M'seilles 18th.
D'ARTAGNAN .. Fm. M'seilles, arr. Pt. Said 18th.
SI KIANG .. Fm. Ldn., arr. Pt. Said 18th.

NEDERLAND ROYAL MAIL
JOHAN DE WITT .. For Batavia, left Belawan 18th.
MOENA .. For Suez, left Padang 18th.
POELAU BRAS .. For Hamburg, left Colombo 17th.
PRINS DER NEDERLANDEN For Sthmtn., left Pt. Said 18th.
RIOUW .. For Macassar, left Gravesend 17th.
SEMBILAN .. Fm. N.Y., arr. Philadel. 17th.

NELSON
HIGHLAND BRIGADE For R. Plate, left Vigo 17th.
HIGHLAND PRINCESS For R. Plate, left Santos 17th.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA
DAKAR MARU .. For L'pool, left Singapore 18th.
GINYO MARU .. For Hong-kong, cld. Iquique 16th.
HIKAWA MARU .. For Yokohama, left Seattle 17th.
KAKO MARU .. For Baltimore, left Philadel. 17th.
KANAGAWA MARU For Yokohama, left Santos 17th.
KATORI MARU .. Fm. Ldn., arr. Gib. 18th.
LISBON MARU .. Fm. Iloilo, arr. N.Y. 17th.
LYONS MARU .. For Yokohama, left Piraeus 17th.
SADO MARU .. For Bombay, left Singapore 18th.
SIBERIA MARU .. Fm. Seattle, arr. Shanghai 18th.
TAKAOKA MARU .. For Boston, left Tientsin 18th.
TAKETOYO MARU For Los Angeles, left Norfolk 16th.
TANGO MARU .. For Melbourne, left Kobe 17th.
TOTTORI MARU .. For Bombay, left Kobe 17th.
TOYOHASHI MARU Fm. R'dam, arr. Kobe 17th.
TOYOOKA MARU .. For L'pool, left Pt. Said 17th.
TSUSHIMA MARU .. Fm. Yokohama, arr. Ldn. 18th.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD
ALLER .. For Hamburg, left Shanghai 18th.
COBLENZ .. Fm. Dairen, arr. Tsingtao 18th.
DONAU .. For Hamburg, left 'Frisco 17th.
KARLSRUHE .. For Bremer'n, left Boston 14th.
OROTAVA .. Fm. Bremen, arr. Las Palmas 17th.
REMSCHEID .. Fm. Kobe, arr. Suez 17th.
SAARBRUCKEN .. For Hamburg, left Colombo 17th.
SEYDLITZ .. For Bremen, left Havana 14th.
SIERRA CORDOBA .. For Bremen, left Rio Janeiro 17th.
TAROIS .. For Hamburg, left Valparaiso 17th.
TRAVE .. Fm. Bremen, arr. Los Angeles 15th.
WESER .. For M'video, cld. Rio Grande 14th.
WITRAM .. Fm. Hamburg, arr. Penang 17th.

ORIENT
ORFORD .. Cruising, arr. Casablanca 18th.

P. & O. AND ASSOCIATED LINES
PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL
ALIPORE .. Fm. Kobe, arr. Hong-kong 17th.
BALRANALD .. For Sydney, left Suez 17th.
KARMALA .. Fm. Ldn., arr. Yokohama 18th.
LAHORE .. Fm. Yokohama, arr. Hankow 16th.
MALWA .. Fm. Ldn., arr. Pt. Said 18th.
MONGOLIA .. For Brisbane, left Fremantle 17th.
RAJPUTANA .. For Yokohama, left Gib. 17th.
RANPURA .. For Ldn., left Shanghai 17th.
VICEROY OF INDIA Fm. Sthmtn., arr. Cadiz 17th.
BRITISH INDIA
TAKADA .. Fm. Osaka, arr. Amoy 18th.
TALMA .. Fm. Calcutta, arr. Kobe 16th.
TAKLIWA .. Fm. Calcutta, arr. Singapore 16th.
MULBERA .. For Calcutta, left Aden 18th.
FEDERAL
HUNTINGDON .. For Ldn., left Auckland 18th.
UNION OF NEW ZEALAND
HAURAKI .. For Sydney, left 'Frisco 17th.

PRINCE
BRAZILIAN PRINCE For R. Plate, left N.Y. 14th.
CASTILIAN PRINCE For N.Y., left Trinidad 15th.
CINGALESE PRINCE For Hong-kong, left Tsingtao 17th.
IMPERIAL PRINCE .. For Sourabaya, left Macassar 16th.
JAPANESE PRINCE Fm. N.Y., arr. Newport N. 16th.
OCEAN PRINCE .. For Durban, left Beira 17th.
SCOTTISH PRINCE Fm. Alexandria, arr. Syrian Cst 15th.

ROTTERDAM LLOYD
SIBAJAK .. For Java, left Gib. 17th.

ROYAL HOLLAND LLOYD
GELRIA .. Homeward, left Rio de Janeiro 14th.
FLANDRIA .. Outward, left Bahia 13th.
ZEELANDIA .. Outward, left Vigo 15th.

ROYAL MAIL STEAM PACKET
ARLANZA .. For Sthmtn., left B. Aires 18th.
LOCHKATRINE .. For L'pool, left Everett 14th.

SHAW SAVILL AND ALBION
IONIC .. Fm. Wellington, arr. Ldn. 18th.
MAHIA .. Fm. Auckland, arr. Ldn. 18th.

UNION-CASTLE
ARMADALE CASTLE For Pt. Natal, left Table B. 17th.
LLANGIBBY CASTLE For Pt. Natal, left Mombasa 17th.
SANDOWN CASTLE Fm. N.Y., arr. Walvis B. 16th.

WHITE STAR
MAJESTIC .. For N.Y., left Sthmtn. 18th.
OLYMPIC .. Fm. Sthmtn., arr. N.Y. 17th.

YEOWARD LINE
ALCA .. For Las Palmas, left Madeira 16th.
ARDEOLA .. For Las Palmas, left Madeira 16th.

LATEST SHIPPING NEWS

(FROM OWNERS AND LLOYD'S)

ABA .. For W. Africa, left Mersey 18th.
ABINSI .. For L'pool, left Madeira 17th.
ANDROMEDE .. Fm. Noumea, arr. M'seilles 16th.
AORANGI .. Fm. Vancouver, arr. Auckland 15th.
ARCHITECT .. Fm. Ldn., arr. Beira 18th.
ARNFRIED .. Fm. Bremen, arr. Cabedello 14th.
ARDEOLA .. Fm. L'pool, arr. Teneriffe 18th.
BENDIGO .. Fm. Brisbane, arr. Malta 18th.
CHANTILLY .. For M'seilles, left Singapore 16th.
CHITRAL .. Fm. Sydney, arr. Malta 18th.
CITY OF BATAVIA .. For Philadel., left Halifax 17th.
CITY OF BEDFORD .. Fm. Calcutta, arr. Norfolk 17th.
CITY OF CORINTH .. Left Dairen 18th.
CITY OF KOBE .. Fm. Philadel., arr. Madras 18th.
CITY OF MOBILE .. For N.Y., left Boston 17th.
CITY OF OSAKA .. Left Noumea 17th.
CITY OF SHANGHAI Left Singapore 18th.
EMP. OF AUSTRALIA Fm. Quebec, arr. Sthmtn. 18th.
ESPAGNE .. For St. Nazaire, left Havana 15th.
EUROPA .. For Bremen, left N.Y. 18th.
FANTEE .. For Algoa B., left Table B. 18th.
FRANCE .. For Havre, left N.Y. 17th.
GRANDON .. For Hamburg, left Pt. Said 16th.
HAKONE MARU .. Fm. Yokohama, arr. Gib. 18th.
ILE DE FRANCE .. For N.Y., left Plymouth 17th.
JOHAN DE WITT .. Fm. Amsterdam, arr. Sabang 17th.
KAGA MARU .. For Yokohama, left Melbourne 18th.
KATORI MARU .. For Yokohama, left Gib. 18th.
KITANO MARU .. Fm. Ldn., arr. Kobe 17th.
KON. DER NEDERLANDEN .. Fm. Amsterdam, arr. Sthmtn. 18th.
LEERDAM .. Fm. R'dam, arr. Vera Cruz 16th.
LOCHKATRINE .. Fm. Vancouver, arr. Longview 15th.
LOCHMONAR .. Fm. R'dam, arr. Vancouver 16th.
MAIMOA .. Fm. Wellington, arr. R'dam 17th.
MANDALAY .. For Naples, left Oran 17th.
MARIETTE PACHA .. For Beirut, left M'seilles 17th.
MELITA .. Fm. Montreal, arr. Clyde 18th.
MOERDIJK .. Fm. Tacoma, arr. Los Angeles 15th.
MULBERA .. For Calcutta, left Aden 18th.
ORMONDE .. For Ldn., left Plymouth 18th.
PADUA .. Fm. Ldn., arr. Malta 18th.
PAREORA .. For Levuka, left Nehoue 16th.
PLANTER .. Fm. Calcutta, arr. Colombo 18th.
SAALE .. For Hamburg, left Bermuda 15th.
SPHINX .. For M'seilles, left Pt. Said 16th.
WIEGAND .. Fm. Valparaiso, arr. Antwerp 14th.

REINSURANCE RATES

The following reinsurance rates are now being quoted on the London market :—

Vessel	Voyage and Casualty	Guineas per cent.
THIRLBY ..	Norfolk, June 9, for Cuba. Ashore seven miles west of Puerto Padre ..	10
TOKAI MARU	Ashore near Soyamisaki ..	20
ABERDONIAN	Aberdeen for London. Ashore near Staithes ..	5
SEA BELLE II. (yacht)	Ashore N.W. of Perhentian Islands	10

CASUALTY REPORTS

(FROM LLOYD'S)

ABERDONIAN.—Cullercoats Wireless Station, June 18.—Following from British s. Aberdonian, of Aberdeen, timed 8.15 a.m. :—Aberdonian ashore hard and fast on rocks at Staithes, foggy. No danger to passengers, but expect to land them. Lloyd's Agent at Staithes telegraphs, June 18 :—Steamer Aberdonian, Aberdeen for London, ashore about ¼ mile from West Breakwater, Staithes. She has 55 passengers and a general cargo. Sea smooth, but vessel lies in low position on rocks, tug in attendance. Making no water at present, but prospects refloating next tide not good. Tides taking off, probably case of salvage work. Passengers in no danger, and now being landed.

DIMITRIOS M. DIACAKIS.—Canakkale, June 17.—Greek s. Dimitrios M. Diacakis, Galatz for Buenos Aires, reported stranded Akbashliman.

IOLA.—Falmouth, June 18.—Auxiliary yacht Iola, owner Longfield, reported on fire in Falmouth Harbour this afternoon. Fire now extinguished, but extent of damage not known.

KERRY HEAD.—Limerick, June 18.—Steamer Kerry Head, when leaving last night, chief engineer and second were overcome by steam in engine-room, and both are dead. Inquiry is being held to ascertain cause.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.—New York, June 18.—American s. President Roosevelt, from Hamburg, aground near Robbins Reef, but later floated with the assistance of tugs.

RIVER ORONTES.—Beirut, June 18.—British s. River Orontes, from New York, arrived with bunker coal on fire. Preliminary survey held, origin of fire attributed to spontaneous combustion. Efforts being made to prevent fire from spreading. At surveyor's recommendation in order to prevent damage to hull steamer will have to discharge about 150 tons bunker coal ; no damage to cargo anticipated. After completion of discharge bunker coal will telegraph result final survey also condition of hull.

SEA BELLE II.—Singapore, June 18.—Government yacht Sea Belle II. reported ashore uncharted reef north-west Perhentian Islands ; assistance sent.

SULBY.—Fleetwood, June 18.—Steam trawler Sulby, of Fleetwood, outward bound yesterday afternoon, while proceeding down Fleetwood Channel a tin of carbide fell into the crankpit and was smashed by the engine ; gas generating quickly caused a terrific explosion, doing considerable damage to engine room, starting bulkheads, boiler, and engine room casing, decks alongside casing blown up ; vessel rapidly filled with water, presumably from starting of seacocks ; she was towed back into harbour by trawler Velia and beached ; tugs with salvage pumps stood by and brought vessel alongside quay in harbour ; none of crew injured.

TOKAI MARU.—Yokohama, June 18.—Japanese s. Tokai Maru reported ashore near Soyamisaki ; salvage steamer gone to assist.

FREIGHT MARKETS

On the BALTIC SHIPPING EXCHANGE yesterday rather more interest was noted in the grain section, and a moderate number of steamers were fixed in the Black Sea section at steady figures. The Danube also operated in carriers for both July and August loadings, and the tendency at the close was favourable to owners. In addition, a couple of vessels were chartered on Russian account for mineral ore from Poti to the Continent at 10s. 9d., with the option of Nicolaieff loading at 1s. less, June-July. The North American section was quiet but steadier, with the higher rate of 1s. 6d. per qr. paid for June-July shipment to the Bristol Channel ; also the basis of 15½c. per 100lb. from the Gulf to Piraeus, July. Cuban sugar was quiet and about unchanged. The River Plate quoted a few more orders than recently, and the undertone was steadier on the reserve of owners. Business, however, was restricted to a medium-size steamer from up-river ports to Marseilles or Genoa at 11s. 6d., spot.

Fixtures included the following :—MONTREAL.—Braddovey, 23,000qr., 10 per cent., Bristol Channel, basis 1s. 6d. one port, June-July. MONTREAL.—Camogli, 32,000qr., 10 per cent., Mediterranean, basis 9 cents one port, spot. GULF.—Michael L. Embiricos, 7,500 tons, 10 per cent., Piraeus, 15½c., option Montreal loading 13½c., July. DANUBE.—Regulus, 5,500 tons, 10 per cent., Antwerp-Hamburg range, 14s. 3d., August ; Victoria City, 7,500 tons, 10 per cent., Antwerp-Hamburg range, 13s. 9d., July. BLACK SEA.—Naftilos, 5,200 tons, 10 per cent., Continent, 10s. 6d., with options, prompt ; steamer, 7,000 tons, 10 per cent., Continent, 10s. 6d., with options, June-July ; Eugenia M. Goulandri, 4,800 tons, 10 per cent., Continent, 11s., with options, prompt. POTI.—Nicos Valdamis, 6,300 tons maximum, Continent, 10s. 9d., option Nicolaieff, 9s. 9d., ore, June-July.

AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS
CITY OF BAGDAD .. For Basra, left Jask 18th.
CITY OF DELHI .. For Basra, left Bagdad 18th.

RIDLEY HALL JUBILEE

The jubilee celebrations at Ridley Hall, Cambridge, began yesterday, when nearly 400 old Ridleians, including 20 Bishops, were welcomed by the Principal and Mrs. Paul Gibson. The proceedings are of a semi-private character, and will include a historical retrospect, a missionary circumspect, and a prophetic prospect, reports of which will be issued later.

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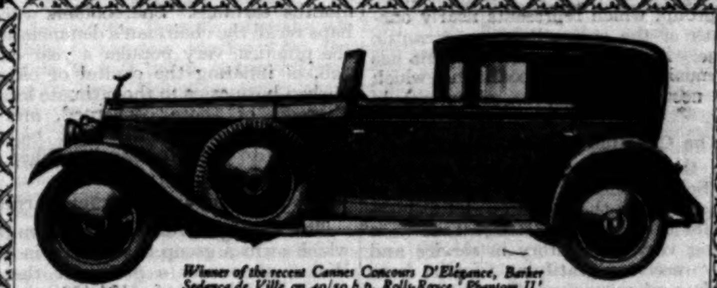
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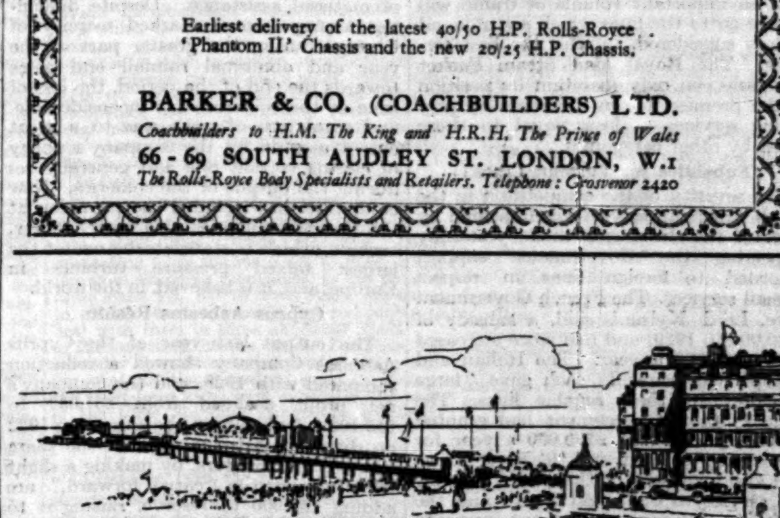
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CITY NOTES

ROYAL MAIL'S NEW REGIME

FINANCIAL POSITION

Stockholders of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company were not more critical at yesterday's annual meeting than was to be expected. But it is important that the proprietors should realize that their practical concern is not with the past with its misfortunes, but with the future, for the important announcement made last week drew a clear line of demarcation between the practice of the past and the policy of the future. Lord Kylsant yesterday gave a short account of the events which led up to last week's announcement. Last October Messrs. Price, Waterhouse, on the instructions of the court of directors, made a report on the position of the various groups of shipping companies, and later the same firm were asked to prepare a scheme of "rationalization." Although this was done it was found advisable to defer the matter, since it would take a considerable time to put into effect, until some definite arrangements had been come to with regard to the short-term liabilities of the group. On May 19, at a conference of the bankers concerned and of representatives of the Trade Facilities Act Advisory Committee and the Government of Northern Ireland, full information was placed before them as to the financial position of the Royal Mail group. A small committee was formed, and a further meeting of these interests was held on June 10, as a result of which it was arranged that a committee should be created consisting of Mr. Frederick Hyde, managing director of the Midland Bank, Brigadier-General Maxwell, managing partner in Glyn, Mills and Co., and Sir William McLintock, to confer with the directors of the Royal Mail Company and its subsidiary and allied companies on matters relating to management, administration, and finance, and that the chairman of the Trade Facilities Act Advisory Committee (Sir William Plender) should consult with the committee.

Financial Arrangements

Meanwhile arrangements were made with the group's bankers and with the discount houses to continue their accommodation, while the Trade Facilities Act Advisory Committee and the Government of Northern Ireland agreed to continue their facilities. Further, Mr. Walter Runciman, M.P., was invited to join the boards of the various shipping companies—he has since been elected deputy-chairman of the Royal Mail Company—and the recommendations which he may make after due examination and inquiry as regards changes of management and administration will be considered by the boards affected, and will, with the approval of the committee, be made effective. These arrangements obviously mark the beginning of a new régime, and it is reasonable to hope that it will succeed in time in restoring the fortunes of this great shipping group, which represents nearly one-seventh of the entire British mercantile marine. Already the announcement has done much to restore the confidence which it is necessary that the group should enjoy.

The Question of New Shipping

On the subject of shipping services with South America, Lord Kylsant was able to say that the five large motor liners built for the associated Nelson Line were proving very satisfactory in service and were "receiving gratifying support from the class of passengers for whom these vessels specially catered." He again referred to the question of one new fast passenger vessel, or possibly two fast ships, for the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's own mail service between this country and South America, and it seems clear that this issue will, sooner or later, have to be faced. While the plans for such shipping had, the chairman said, been carefully considered, orders to proceed with the work of construction had not yet been definitely given, but in view of the keen competition in this route, particularly from foreign lines, the directors were very much alive to the need for having such new fast passenger tonnage for the South American service as early as possible. It is true that a passenger liner company must keep fully abreast of the times, if not a little ahead of them, and that an important volume of traffic will always go to the lines which are able, all factors considered, to offer the best services. The Royal Mail Steam Packet Company can only maintain its position as the premier line in the route by providing services at least equal to those given by other companies.

Subsidies for Foreign Lines

The severity of the competition in the South American service was indicated by some of the statements made yesterday respecting the Government support accorded to foreign lines in respect of mail services. The French Government gave, Lord Kylsant said, a subsidy of £200,000 in 1929, and had since increased it to £286,000 a year. The Italian and Spanish Governments each gave "large subsidies" to their regular lines. The United States Government had granted a subsidy of about £250,000 a year for the service to Brazil and the River Plate, and also a subsidy of £239,000 a year for the service to Chile and Peru; and the Brazilian Government had just increased its subsidy to the Lloyd Brazileiro to £500,000 a year, "although a considerable portion of this large sum was allocated to the coastal services." The British shipping industry, as a whole, has long rigorously asserted that it does not want subsidies but is content with adequate payments for the actual mail services rendered, but State-aided competition of the kind that was described yesterday does undoubtedly intensify the task of British shipping in endeavouring to carry on its services at a profit. Obviously, unless the traffic on any route expands in proportion to the increased supply of shipping, the more there are to share in it the less the share of each, and the great ships which have been built within the last few years need, in order to pay their way, long passenger lists and much cargo. Yesterday Lord Kylsant declared that the Royal Mail had a great many friends who, through all vicissitudes, had stood loyally by the company, and the board, now strengthened, must continue to try to ensure that the company merits the maintenance of that full support.

The Reparation Loan

The poor response made to the Dutch issue of the Reparation Loan appears to have led to Continental selling of the London portion of this loan, for yesterday the scrip fell at one time to 2 discount. At this level, however, considerable buying took place, and the price recovered to 1¼ discount.

Marks and Spencer Issue Underwritten

Underwriting arrangements were made yesterday for the issue early next week of £1,000,000 of Six per Cent. Debenture stock at 102 and 1,000,000 Seven per Cent. £1 Preference shares to be offered at 21s. of Marks and Spencer, Limited.

Allied Ironfounders' First Report

Formed early in 1929 to amalgamate nine companies controlling 15 works engaged in the light castings industry, Allied Ironfounders, Limited, has just issued its first report. This covers the period from the date of incorporation, March 21, 1929, to March 31 last. The company derives its income from the dividends paid by the subsidiary companies. In the prospectus of last year offering £780,000 Six per Cent. Convertible Debentures at 96, profits of the subsidiaries, before charging income-tax, were shown to have averaged, over a four-year period, £281,509, but those for 1928 were only £137,824, the decline being attributed to price cutting. As the new report does not disclose the profits of the subsidiaries for 1929, a close comparison with prospectus figures is not possible, but it may be stated that the dividends received from the subsidiary companies (after deducting £67,259 derived from pre-merger reserves) amounted, before charging income-tax, to £139,284, from which it follows that unless the underlying companies retained a large proportion of their earnings the combination has yet to derive most of the benefits that were expected to follow the merger. Out of the dividends receivable the parent company is meeting its Debenture service and the due dividend on the £994,000 of Seven per Cent. Preference shares, but is unable to pay anything on the £990,700 of Ordinary capital. As regards the £67,259 distributed by the subsidiary companies out of pre-merger reserves, this transfer has been made primarily to provide for the writing off of a sum of £62,028 due by Austin Friars Trust, Limited, which failed in its obligation to make certain payments for which, it is stated by the board, the requisite funds had been placed at its disposal. The directors add that the figure of £62,028 represents the maximum financial loss incurred by the company and its subsidiaries arising out of their connexion with Austin Friars Trust.

Hall and Co.'s Prosperity

The latest report of Hall and Co., well known in Surrey, Sussex, and elsewhere as coal, gravel, lime, and cement merchants, is easily the best in that company's history. Profit on trading in the year ended March 31, after deducting depreciation, amounted to £96,481, compared with £58,365, and the total revenue was £99,379, compared with £60,453. After allowing for income-tax and directors' fees, the net profit amounted to £85,722, against £48,193. The board has made liberal provision for its staff in the form of a cash bonus and of a contribution to the reserve for pensions and sickness, and it is raising the company's reserve by £20,000. The balance of profit permits of a dividend and bonus of 20 per cent., compared with 17½ per cent., and of the carrying forward of £74,899, against £62,596. The company appears to be moderately capitalized, and when to this circumstance is added the possession of sound management, its success is not difficult to understand. The issued capital is only £247,500, while there is a reserve, including the "carry-forward," of £242,399, and the creditors item, amounting to £158,329, includes "reserves for contingencies." There are no debentures, and the total liabilities of about £200,000 are more than twice covered by current assets. Goodwill is shown in the balance-sheet at £22,429, equal to about three months' earnings. Shareholders will perhaps recall the chairman's denunciation of the practice, very popular a year or two ago, of inflating the capital of old-established businesses to the ultimate loss and discredit of those concerned, and the wisdom of his remarks will be more apparent to them to-day than when they were uttered.

Colliery Company's Larger Earnings

The Tredegar Iron and Coal Company, which owns a group of collieries in South Wales, announces a profit for the year ended March 31 of £104,453, the best result since 1925-26. For 1928-29 the profit was £46,151. After providing for depreciation the directors are able to raise the dividend from 2½ to 5 per cent., free of tax, and to carry forward £48,591, as compared with £40,693. While nothing is placed out of current revenue to reserve, that account has been raised to £100,000 by the transfer of £76,163 formerly provided out of revenue for contingencies that have not arisen. The board attribute the better financial results to improved trading conditions, allied to constant vigilance at the collieries in maintaining the economies previously introduced. The South Wales coal sales scheme is stated to have operated beneficially. The railway rates rebates were in force throughout the year, and the derating proposals which came into force on October 1 were of material assistance. Despite difficulties arising from a marked scarcity of tonnage during the greater part of the year and abnormal rainfall and gales towards the end of the period, the loss of time at the collieries was inconsiderable, and regularity of work was to a great extent assured by the company's policy of closing certain pits and generally reducing the output of the collieries. New equipment has included the provision at the Oakdale collieries of a new 7,500kw. turbine, which is stated to be one of the largest mixed pressure turbines in Europe, and, it is believed, in the world.

Cyprus Asbestos Results

The output last year of the Cyprus Asbestos Company showed a reduction compared with 1928, and the company's net profit declined from £61,037 to £45,103. As has been the case since 1922 no dividend is to be paid on the share capital; the directors, by making a slight reduction in the "carry forward," are adding £50,000 to reserve, raising it to £100,000. This compares with an issued capital of £600,000. Production capacity on the present low recovery yield has been raised to about 20,000 tons per annum, and it is pointed out that any increase in the recovery yield, as the quarries become more developed, will now increase the output without additional cost. The board are hopeful of an improvement in the yield from the new quarries, and if it equals that from the old workings it should not be long, they add, before a production of, say, 25,000 tons should be obtained at the same cost as 20,000 tons. A restriction of output is foreshadowed for the current year in consequence of unfavourable world market conditions, but the directors do not anticipate that it will be necessary to restrict production beyond 1930.

MONEY RATES AT HOME AND ABROAD

—	Bank rate	Market discount rate	Call Money
	Per cent.	Per cent.	Per cent.
London	3	2 7/16-2½	2-2½
New York	3	2¼-2½	
Paris	2½	2⅛	2
Berlin	4½	3⅜	2-4½
Swiss Bank places	3	2¼	—
Milan	5½	5½	—
Amsterdam	3	1 15/16	¾
Brussels	3	2¾	1½

STOCK EXCHANGE

A BETTER TONE

RHODESIAN SHARES HIGHER

There was a rather better tone in the stock markets yesterday, and although in the late dealings the receipt of unfavourable advices from New York caused renewed weakness, particularly among international shares, prices closed higher in a number of instances. British Funds were firm, but the publication of the traffic returns was followed by a further fall in home and South American railway securities. In the foreign market, which had a heavy tone, the German reparations loan fell at one time to 2 discount, but recovered partially before the close. Leyland Motors were a feature of strength in the miscellaneous market. Cables and Wireless stocks advanced, but suffered a renewed setback in the later dealings. Rhodesian mining shares were strong, and unlike most other sections of the "House" closed almost at the best.

BRITISH FUNDS were steady, the Five per Cent. War Loan being a good market at 102¼. Treasury Bonds were easier in one or two cases. HOME RAILWAY stocks weakened. L.M.S. fell a point to 45¾, and Great Western ½ to 81¼. The traffic returns were affected by the Whit-Monday holiday, which caused a fall in goods revenue and an increase in passenger takings. On balance decreases were reported of £220,000 by the L.M.S., £106,000 by the Great Western, and £109,000 by the Berwick. The Southern showed an increase of £21,000.

The FOREIGN market was again depressed. A rather sharp fall occurred in the new German Reparations loan, which at one time was 2 discount. There were buyers at this price, however, and the scrip recovered to 1¼ discount, showing a net fall of ⅜. Brazilian loans were again lower, the Four per Cent. Rescission falling to 62¼, and the new San Paulo Coffee Bonds to 3¾ discount (having touched 4 discount). Chinese bonds declined on the seizure of the Tientsin customs. City of Riga Bonds were better at 34. Peruvian Corporation Preference weakened. In the SOUTH AMERICAN RAILWAY market Argentine stocks were depressed owing to the weakness of the peso and the continuance of poor traffics, and the leading stocks closed 1 to 2 points down. Traffic decreases were reported of £95,000 by the Central Argentine, £39,000 by the B.A. Great Southern, £44,000 by the B.A. and Pacific, and £13,000 by the B.A. Western. The Entre Rios and Argentine North Eastern again had small increases. There was a decrease of £14,595 in the Leopoldina's takings, and the stock fell to 43. The United of Havana and the Antofagasta both reported decreases. San Paulo stock was weak.

An easier tendency prevailed in the OIL market, Shell (4 21-32) and Trinidad Leaseholds (2¾) both losing 1-16. The price of RUBBER was a little higher, and the shares were steady; Rubber Trust hardened to 29s. 9d. TEA shares were a shade easier.

RISE IN LEYLAND

There was a rather better tone in the MISCELLANEOUS market. Brewery shares were firm on the whole, Guinness rising to 100s. 9d. The motor group was irregular. Leyland was strong, and rose to 68s. 1½d. bid, closing 2s. 6d. higher on balance at 67s. 6d. Dennis rose 1s. 6d. to 40s., and Guy hardened to 16s. 6d. Ford, however, fell 3s. to 62s. 6d. International shares were firm in the early dealings, but became weak later on the receipt of adverse New York advices. Brazilian Traction were 41½ at one time, but declined to 39¾ in the late dealings, and International Nickel were offered at 22¼, after being 23¾. Columbia Graphophone rose to 3⅞, but reacted later to 3½, while Gramophone was a shade harder at 3 13-16. Hydro Electric fell to 39. General Electric touched 50s., but closed only a few pence better on the day at 49s. 3d. Unilever shares were firmer, the old shares being 1-16 higher at 2¼, and the new 1s. higher at 9s. 6d. discount. United Molasses closed without net change at 2¼, having been 2 15-16. Cables and Wireless stocks advanced at one time, but later suffered a setback. The "A" stock finished a point down at 36, after having touched 38½; the "B" at one time rose to 17½, but closed without change on balance at 16; and the Preference rose to 88, only to fall back to 87½. Carreras were a good market, the "A" shares rising ½ to 7 15-16. The movement was attributed to reports of a favourable character regarding current trading. In the artificial silk group falls were shown by Snia Viscosa and British Enka. Newspaper shares receded, Allied Newspapers being weak at 23s. 9d., while Associated Deferred was easier at 26s. 3d.

South African MINING shares were firmer. Sub Nigel rose ⅛ to 2¼. "Johnnies" advanced to 38s. 3d., and Consolidated Gold Fields were harder at 1 15-32. Geldenhuis Deep was firm on the higher dividend. De Beers, at 7¼, lost ⅛. A better tendency prevailed for Rhodesian shares, which closed almost at the best. Bwana M'Kubwa rose 1s. 1½d. to 13s. 6d., N'Changa finished 7-16 higher at 2 11-16, and Congo Border advanced to 14¾. Rio Tinto were 33½ in the early dealings, rose to 33¾, but closed at 33, a fall of ⅞ on balance.

FOREIGN LOAN TO YUGOSLAVIA

£15,000,000 PROPOSED

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

MILAN, JUNE 18

I am informed that the negotiations for a loan to Yugoslavia are nearing completion. The loan, which will amount to about £15,000,000, will be raised in London with banking groups in New York, Paris, Amsterdam, and Milan. Apparently one of the first conditions was that Italy should join in the operation, and I understand that the participation of Italian banks not only was permitted but viewed favourably by the Italian Government.

Yugoslavia is being asked to stabilize her currency, to introduce banking and railway reforms, and to settle certain international debts. It is stated that the money raised by the loan will be spent chiefly on public works.

REPARATIONS LOAN IN HOLLAND

FORTY PER CENT. SUBSCRIBED

AMSTERDAM, June 18.—Subscriptions to the Dutch share of 73,000,000 florins (about £6,000,000) in the Young Loan amount to only 40 per cent. of the total called for.

The underwriters are now trying to place the remaining 60 per cent. on the same terms as those on which they accepted the loan.—*Reuter.*

SHOPFITTERS' EXPANSION

The directors of E. Pollard and Co., shopfitters, have agreed to effect an amalgamation with Samuel Haskins and Bros., and also with E. Pollard (Sundries). Meetings are called for June 23 for the purpose of increasing the nominal capital to £700,000 by the creation of 150,000 additional £1 7 per cent. Preference shares and 200,000 additional £1 Ordinary shares. Of the new shares 63,855 Preference and 56,440 Ordinary would be issued as fully paid to shareholders of E. Pollard (Sundries) and Samuel Haskins and Bros., while 50,000 of each class would be offered to shareholders of E. Pollard and Co., and 5,000 Preference shares would be subscribed at par by directors of Samuel Haskins and Bros. The total issued capital of the company would then amount to £575,295, in 268,855 Preference shares and 306,440 Ordinary shares. The terms of the new issue to shareholders will be explained at the meetings.

ACCUMULATIVE DIVIDENDS

The Bank of England intimates that the stock required for the investment of the dividends due on June 2, on account of accumulative dividends, was purchased as under at the following prices, viz:—£5 per Cent. War Stock, 1929-47, at 102 3/16 per cent.; £4 10s. per Cent. War Stock, 1925-45, at 98¼ per cent.; London County Consolidated £3 per Cent. Stock, at 64 per cent.; London County Consolidated £2 10s. per Cent. Stock, at 54¼ per cent.; Metropolitan Consolidated £2 10s. per Cent. Stock, at 72 per cent.; India £4 10s. per Cent. Stock, 1958-68, at 83 per cent. The stockholders will be credited with the amounts to which they are entitled on July 1.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

RENEWED HEAVY SELLING

SEVERE DECLINES

NEW YORK, June 18.—Hectic conditions prevailed on the Stock Exchange to-day, widespread liquidation, coupled with aggressive selling by professional shorts, causing severe breaks. Trading was on an extensive scale, which with erratic price fluctuations caused such congestion in the ticker service that final prices were nearly 1½ hours late.

The market opened under renewed pressure, further heavy liquidation resulting from the weakness which developed towards the close yesterday. Easiness was shown throughout the list, though the bulk of the pressure was on the speculative leaders. The volume of selling became heavier as the morning progressed and sharp declines were recorded in oil, steel, and copper issues, the last-named group being affected by a further decline in the price of the metal to 11½c. per lb. Severe pressure developed against public utility stocks, "bears" reviving the contention that the market prices of these are widely disproportionate to earnings. The publication of a forecast of the steel industry by a leading steel authority to the effect that the industry faces a lean summer with a slight improvement in the fall and a comparatively dull winter with any real recovery probably delayed until March next year strengthened "bearish" sentiment and hastened the decline. The reduction in the crude oil output and the fact that railroad car loadings for the week ended June 7 showed an increase of 75,398 cars were ignored.

Activity continued undiminished in the afternoon, with movements nervous and erratic. Scale-down buying caused slight rallies, but sharp outbreaks of selling overtook spasmodic sectional upturns, and whenever the latter occurred the subsequent selling almost invariably resulted in losses outstripping gains. Shorts were showing more disposition to cover commitments on the theory that unfavourable developments have been fully discounted, but there was only a slight rally.

EXCHANGE	Method of Quoting	Parity	June 18	June 17
		$	$	$
MONTREAL on— London, cables	£1	4.86⅔	4.85¾	4.85⅝
NEW YORK on— London, sight	£1	—	4.85 17/32	4.85 19/32
Cables	£1	4.86⅔	4.85 25/32	4.85 11/16
60 days' sight	£1	—	4.83 5/16	4.83⅝
Grain bills, sight	£1	—	4.85 9/16	4.85 9/16
Seven days	£1	—	4.84 15/16	4.84 15/16
Paris, short sight	100f.	3.91¾	3.92½	3.92⅝
Rome, cables	100l.	5.26	5.23⅞	5.23⅞
Amsterdam, short sight	100fl.	40.20	40.14½	40.15⅜
Oslo, cables	100kr.	26.80	26.77	26.76½
Stockholm, cables	100kr.	26.80	26.85½	26.85¾
Copenh'g'n, cables	100kr.	26.80	26.76½	26.75½
Prague, cheques	100kr.	—	2.96¾	2.96¾
Berlin, short sight	100mk.	23.80	23.85	23.85½
Brussels, cables	100bel.	13.90	13.95	13.95
Berne, cables	100f.	19.30	19.36½	19.36¼
Madrid, cables	100ps.	19.30	11.71	11.64
Vienna, cables	100sch.	14.07	14.11¾	14.11¾
Budapest, cables	100pen	17.49	17.49¾	17.49¾
Belgrade, cables	100din.	19.30	1.77	1.77
Athens, cables	100dr.	1.30	1.29¾	1.29¾
		Cents	Cents	Cents
B. Aires	1 peso	42.54	36.98	36.98
Rio, cables	1 mil.	32.45	11.35	11.32

RAILWAYS

	June 18	June 17		June 18	June 17
Atchison	208	211	Int.C.Amer	25¾	22⅝
Atl. Coast	156	158	KansasCity	67⅛	67½
B. & O.	101¼	102½	Louisville	127	131
Do., Pref.	82⅝	82½	Minn. S.P.	15	15
Brooklyn M. T'sit	61	61½	Mis. Pac.	65	66
Can. Pac.	188	191	Do., Pref.	121½	123
Cent. N.J.	226	240	N.Mex.1 Pf.		
Ches. & O.	173	180	Do., 2 Pf.	¾	¾
Ch. G.W.	9¼	10⅛	N.Y. Cent.	158	161
Do., Pref.	33½	38¾	Nflk. & W.	221	225
Ch. N.W.	72½	74	N. Pacific	74	74
Ch.Mil.St.P	14	14¾	Pennsylv'a	70⅝	73
Ch.Rock Is.	104	105	Reading	108½	108
Del.& Hud.	156	155¾	S.L. & S.F.	98	101
Del., Lack.	111½	113¼	S.L. & S.W.	58	61¾
Erie	35½	36⅞	S. Pacific	111½	112½
Do., 1st Pf.	55	59	Southern	105½	105¾
G.N., Pref.	84½	87	Do., Pref.	98	98
Ill. Cent.	115½	118¼	U. Pacific	210	214
Interboro' Rapid Tr.	23⅞	24¾	Do., Pref.	85½	85½
			Wabash	33	35
			Do., Pf. A	—	74

INDUSTRIALS

	June 18	June 17		June 18	June 17
Air Reduct.	123	127½	Int. Paper	20	21
AlliedChem	249	265	Int. Tele.	40½	43
Am. Agric. Ch., Pref.	25⅛	26¾	Kennecott	38⅛	38¾
			Kresge S.S.	26½	27¼
Am. and F. Pwr.	60⅜	65¼	K'ger. 5%	26⅞	27⅝
			Liggett&M.	85	90
Am. Can.	115¼	123	Loose Wile	56	58½
Am. Loco.	51	52	Mack Trcks	49	54¼
Am. Rolling Mills	58	62	Montg'y W.	35	36⅛
			Nash Mtrs.	32½	34
Am. Smelt.	56¾	59	Nat. Bisct.	76½	78
Am.Sug. R.	50⅛	51⅛	Nat.CashR.	51½	55
Am. Tel.	203½	209½	Nat. Dairy	48⅝	50⅛
Am. Tob.	217	225	N. Amer.	100½	101
Am.Wool'n	11¼	12¼	Packard	12⅞	13¼
Anaconda	46⅞	46⅞	Pan A. Pet.	54½	55¼
Armour D.	74	77	Pub. Ser. N.J.	89	92¼
As.DryGds.	31½	33⅞			
Atl'tic Ref.	32¾	35	Pullman	64	66
Baldwins	21¼	20¼	Radio Corp	34½	36
BarnsdallA	21⅝	22	R'm'g'n Rd	26¼	28¼
Beth. Steel	81	84¾	Ryl. Dutch	49⅝	50⅜
C.de Pascoe	43	45	Sears R'b'k	72	73½
Chile Copp.	50	50	Shell Trans.	44¼	44⅛
Chrysler	25⅞	28⅝	Shell Un.	18⅝	19½
Col. Fuel	44	47⅛	Sloss S. Stl.	25	26
Colum. Gas	61¼	65¾	Std.Brands	17½	19
Col. Graph.	17⅝	17¾	Std. Gas	88	95
Cons. Gas	105⅛	108½	Std. Oil of Cal.	58¼	60
Cont. Can.	52¼	53¾	Do., N.J.	61¼	64¼
Cont. Oil	19¼	19⅝	Do., N.Y.	30¾	31⅝
Corn Prod.	94	93½	Studebaker	25⅝	26½
Crucible	71½	73¾	Texas Corp.	50⅜	51¼
DavisonCh.	24½	27½	Tex.G. Sul.	51	51½
Drug. Inc.	70	74	Tidewater	13⅝	14¼
Du Pont	101½	107¾	Tri-ContCp	11⅛	11⅜
EastmanK.	200	208	Un.Carbide	62½	70
Elec.P.&L.	60¾	65⅝	Un. Fruit	83½	83⅝
Electric Storage	64¼	65	United Corp.	30	32⅛
Fox Films	39	42	United Gas	33¼	34¾
Gen. Elect.	67¾	68¾	U.S. L'ther	9½	10¼
Gen. Foods	52⅛	52½	U.S. Rbr.	20	22¼
Gen.Motors	40	41⅞	U.S. Steel	158⅝	160¾
Gillette	69	71	Do., Pref.	145⅝	145⅝
Goodrich	23½	26	W. Un. Tel.	159½	164
Goodyear	62	65⅜	W'hse.Mfg.	132	137¾
Hou.OilTx.	70	75½	Woolworth	53½	55
Hud. Mtrs.	30⅜	33¼	Worth'n Pump	114	120
Ind. Rayon	92	92			
Int. Harv'r	81¼	81⅛	Youngst'n Sheet	115	115
Int. Match	70½	72¼			
Int. Nickel	21⅞	22¼			

CURB EXCHANGE

	June 18	June 17		June 18	June 17
An.-Am.Oil	—	—	Mid. West Utilities	25¾	27⅝
Assoc. Gas	31½	32¾	Pennroad	10⅞	11⅞
Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	23½	24⅛	Silica Gel.	15½	17½
Celanese	12½	17⅝	Stand. Oil of Indiana	49½	50¼
Elec. Bond	74¾	80⅛	Swift Int.	30	33⅛
Gulf Oil	126*	130	VacuumOil	77	81
HydroElec.	37½	40			
Int. Pet.	18	18½			

BONDS

	June 18	June 17		June 18	June 17
Libty. Ln., 3½%	100 30/32	101 2/32	Finl., 6%, 1945	96½	93½
Do., 4¼%	102 1/32	102 5/32	Fren., 7½% 1941	122⅝	122⅝
Do., (4th) 4¼%	102 25/32	102 25/32	Do., 7, '49	117⅝	117⅝
U.K., 5½% 1937	104	104	Ger. 7% '49	106¾	107⅛
Do., 4%, 1960-90	88	88	Greek, 7%, 1964	101	101
Arg., 6%, 1959	98¾	98¾	Hamb'g, 8, 6%, 1946	95¼	95¼
Aust., 5%, 1957	87	87½	Hungary, 7½%, '44	100½	100½
Aust., 7%, 1943	103⅝	103¾	Ital., 7%, 1951	98	98⅛
Belg., 6%, 1955	103½	103¼	Jap., 6½%, 1954	103⅝	103⅝
Do., 7%, 1955	113	113	Nord Rly., 6½%, '50	105½	105
Bordeaux, 6%, '34	104	103¾	Norway 6% 1952	102	102⅝
Brazil, 7½% 1952	101¾	101¾	P.L.M., 6% 1958	104¼	104¼
Bulg., 7, '67	83	83	Do., 7%, 1958	105¼	105¼
Canada 5% 1931	100⅞	100⅞	Poland, 7% 1947	85¼	85¼
Chile, 7, '42	101	101			
Do., 6, '60	89¼	89⅝	Do., 8%, 1950	94¼	94⅛
Czech., 8%, 1951	109¾	109¾	Rio do Sol., 8%, '46	99⅛	99⅛
Denm'k 6% 1942	105	104¾	San P., 8% 1950	97½	98
Dutch E.I., 6%, '62	101¾	101¾	Seine, 7%, 1942	107⅝	107¾
Do., 5½%, 1953	101⅝	101⅝	Swed. 5½% 1954	104¼	104¼
Est. Rly., 7%, '54	105½	105½	Tokio City, 5½%, '61	90¼	90¾

The following quotations are supplied by Reuter:—

—	June 18	June 17
Atchison, Pref.	106	106
Lehigh Valley	64	66
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	36	39
New York, Ontario and Western	9	10
Reading, 1st Prefd.	48	48
Texas and Pacific	117	115¾
National Lead	129¾	133

* Ex dividend. † Ex rights. ‡ Ex stock dividend.

The money market was easy, call loans ruling at 2½ per cent. throughout the day. Commercial paper was firmer, prime names being quoted 3¾ to 4 per cent.

Open market discount rates were unchanged at 2¼ to 2½ per cent. for 90-day bank bills, and 2¾ to 2⅞ per cent. for six months bills.

The sales of stocks to-day totalled 6,416,000 shares.

Sterling exchange was easier at 4.85 25-32 for cable transfers.

Earmarked stocks of gold have been reduced $1,000,000.

Silver fell ⅛c. to 34c. for foreign bullion.

Regular quarterly dividends declared to-day include 70c. by the National Biscuit Company, $1.75 by the Baltimore and Ohio Railway, and $1.25 by the Kansas City Southern Railway.

AMERICAN PRODUCE MARKETS

CRUDE OIL LOWER

NEW YORK, June 18.—WHEAT.—The cash market closed barely steady at 1⅛c. to 2⅛c. decline. No. 2 red winter, 113⅞c.; No. 2 amber durum, unquoted; No. 2 hard winter, 102⅝c.; No. 2 Manitoba, 109⅜c. MAIZE barely steady, ⅞c. lower. No. 2 mixed, 86⅞c., f.o.b. New York. OATS barely steady, 1⅛c. lower. White clipped, 46⅛c., f.o.b. New York. RYE easy at 2⅛c. decline. No. 2 Western, 59⅛c., f.o.b. New York. BARLEY nominal with No. 2 malting unquoted.

FLOUR was barely steady, Spring clears and Kansas straights 10c. down at $5.15 and $5.10 respectively. Minneapolis patents and bakers' clears unaltered at $5.80 and $5. Rye flour quoted $4.40 to $4.70. LARD barely steady. Prime Western steam 5c. down at $10; Middle West, spot, 10c. lower at $9.85.

DAILY GRAIN MOVEMENTS (Thousands)

—	To-day	Same day last yr.	This week	This season	Last season
Wheat (bushels)—					
Receipts, Western	523	980	2,010	414,192	502,945
Do., Atlantic	588	450	628	82,397	122,881
*Exports, ditto	234	410	561	82,541	103,683
Maize (bushels)—					
Receipts, Western	627	1,129	2,282	243,108	280,900
Do., Atlantic	17	12	56	4,902	21,113
*Exports, ditto	—	—	—	10	17,652
Flour (barrels)—					
Shipments, Westn	123	79	338	26,945	26,747
Receipts, Atlantic	72	67	200	20,794	23,303
*Exports, ditto	12	15	29	4,077	5,510
Oats (bushels)—					
Receipts, Western	226	349	815	134,502	133,207
Do., Atlantic	9	19	30	5,920	12,336
*Exports, ditto	—	—	—	187	4,328

* From New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore and New Orleans.

COFFEE.—Rio futures closed barely steady, 18 to 5 points down. Sales estimated at 53,000 bags. Closing prices:—July, 7.55c.; Sept., 7.53c.; Dec., 7.30c.; Jan., 7.23c.; March, 7.05c.; May, 6.98c. Santos No. 4 futures closed barely steady, 4 points up to 6 points down. Sales, 21,000 bags. Closing prices:—July, 12.45c.; Sept., 11.50c.; Dec., 11.00c.; Jan., 10.90c.; March, 10.70c.; May, 10.43c. Cash coffee steady; Rio No. 7, 9c. to 9⅛c.; Santos No. 4, 13c. to 13⅛c.

COCOA.—Futures closed easy and 14 to 16 points lower. Sales, 34,000 bags. Closing prices:—June, 7.52c.; July, 7.58c.; Sept., 7.80c.; Dec., 7.86c.; Jan., 7.95c.; March, 8.14c.

SUGAR.—Raw futures closed easy at 3 to 4 points decline. Sales, 64,000 tons. Closing prices:—July, 1.27c.; Sept., 1.35c.; Dec., 1.45c.; Jan., 1.46c.; March, 1.54c.; May, 1.61c. No. 2 contract, duty free, July, 3.17c.; Sept., 3.26c.; Dec., 3.37c.

Cuban centrifugal sugar, 96 degrees, spot, quoted 3.25c. per lb. Sales comprised 70,000 bags of Cuba, ex store, at 3.24c. to 3.25c.; 36,000 bags Philippine, ex store, at 3.25c.; and 116,000 bags Philippine, June-July shipment, at 3.27c. per lb., c.i.f.

COTTON on the spot closed 15 points higher at 13.70c. The futures market opened at 5 to 12 points advance on "bear" covering, but declined afterwards under liquidation influenced by weak stock and grain markets and depressing trade advices. Later in the session the subsidence of pressure together with "bear" covering caused a sharp rebound and the close was steady, unchanged to 16 points higher on the day. New Orleans spot middling closed without change at 12.74c., and the futures market finished steady at gains ranging from 2 to 9 points.

NEW YORK Futures	Closing range To-day		Prev. day	
June	13.44	13.44	13.30	13.30
July	13.61	13.55	13.49	13.42
August	13.00	13.00	13.00	13.00
September	13.10	13.10	13.00	13.00
October	13.17	13.14	13.05	13.02
November	13.18	13.18	13.08	13.08
December	13.30	13.30	13.15	13.15
January	13.31	13.30	13.15	13.15
NEW CONTRACT				
October	12.93	12.92	12.82	12.80
November	12.95	12.95	12.85	12.85
December	13.05	13.02	12.96	12.91
January	13.06	13.06	12.90	12.90
February	13.16	13.16	13.01	13.01
March	13.26	13.26	13.12	13.12
April	13.35	13.35	13.19	13.19
May	13.37	13.35	13.28	13.26

	To-day	Week	Season	Last season
Receipts at ports	6,000	25,000	*8,518,000	9,319,000
Exports Gt. Brit.	Nil	1,000	1,242,000	1,825,000
Exports Cont., &c.	3,000	9,000	*5,349,000	6,070,000

* Adjusted.

COPPER was easy and further 25 points lower for electrolytic domestic, spot, and export, spot and July delivery, at 11.50c. per lb. asked. National Metal Exchange closing prices were unchanged to 5 points up. June, 11.25c.; July, 11.25c.; Sept., 11.40c. Sales, nil. TIN steady, Straits metal, spot, ⅛c. up at 29⅞c., and July delivery 25 points higher at 29.85c. asked. National Metal Exchange closing prices were:—June, 29.70; July, 29.80; Sept., 29.95. Sales, 28 lots. SPELTER easy at 17½ points decline for East St. Louis, spot and July delivery, at 4.45c. per lb. asked. LEAD.—Spot unchanged at 5.40c. per lb. PIG IRON steady with No. 2 foundry unchanged on Eastern Pennsylvania markets at $19 per ton.

RUBBER.—Smoked sheet sellers were ⅛c. lower. Spot and June, 11⅞c.; June-July, 12⅛c. per lb. First latex crêpe sellers ⅛c. down. Spot and June, 12⅜c.; June-July, 12½c. per lb. New York Rubber Exchange closing prices were 10 to 30 points down. June, 11.60c.; July, 11.70c.; Sept., 12.00c.; Dec., 12.50c.; March, 13.00c. Sales, 264 contracts.

COTTON OIL closed barely steady, refined futures 6 to 18 points down. Closing prices:—Crude, spot, nominal; yellow, spot, 8c. bid; futures July, 8.04c.; Sept., 7.99c.; Oct., 7.99c.; Dec., 7.92c.

PETROLEUM.—Pennsylvanian crude standard grades were quoted 10c. lower at $2.15 to $2.20 per barrel.

TURPENTINE was steady, ⅛c. lower at 46c. to 47c.

JACKSONVILLE, June 18.—TURPENTINE was steady at 40⅛c. bid.

SAVANNAH, June 18.—TURPENTINE was firm at 40⅞c. to 41c. ROSIN.—Grade F, $5.22½; grade K, $5.37½; grade WW, $6.85.

DULUTH, June 18.—LINSEED futures closed easy, ⅞c. to 1⅞c. down. July, 276c.; Sept., 228c.

KANSAS CITY, June 18.—WHEAT futures closed barely steady, 2c. down. July, 88⅞c.; Sept., 91⅞c.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 18.—WHEAT futures closed barely steady, 1⅞c. lower. July, 96⅞c.; Sept., 98⅞c.

TOLEDO, June 18.—CLOVERSEED closed steady, 10 points higher to unchanged. Cash, 12.10; Oct., 12.60.

WINNIPEG, June 18.—WHEAT opened easy at a fall of 1⅛c. to 2c. owing to depressing advices from Liverpool, generally favourable foreign crop advices, and increasing receipts which led to liquidation. Rallies occurred afterwards on reports of unfavourable crop conditions in Manitoba and predictions of small Argentine shipments, but prices were further depressed later by forecasts of showers and increasing stocks. The market subsequently rallied under covering influenced by the technical conditions together with rumours of export buying, but the close was barely steady at a net fall of 2⅛c. to 2⅜c. July, 101c.; Oct., 104⅛c.; Dec., 106c. OATS closed steady at declines ranging from 2⅛c. to ⅞c. July, 46c.; Oct., 45⅛c.; Dec., 44⅛c. BARLEY futures barely steady and 1⅛c. to 1⅞c. lower. July, 38⅛c.; Oct., 41⅞c.

LINSEED futures closed 4⅞c. to 4c. down. July, 212⅞c.; Oct., 184c.

CHICAGO, June 18.—WHEAT.—The market opened weak at a fall of 1⅛c. to 1⅞c. on a renewal of liquidation prompted by the fresh decline on the Stock Exchange, reports that Spain has prohibited imports of wheat, an increasing movement of the new crop in Texas, the inactivity of the cash market, and the absence of export inquiries. The execution of restoring orders, together with the chairman of the Farm Board stating that the Government intends to aid the present marketing system, adhering to present methods, helped to steady the market temporarily, but the decline was resumed under aggressive "bear" selling, encouraged by the easiness of outside markets. The oversold technical conditions prompted better support in the afternoon, and the close was steady although 1⅛c. lower on the day. July, 96⅞c.; Sept., 99⅞c.; Dec., 104c.

MAIZE closed barely steady at a decline of 1⅛c. to ⅞c. July, 75⅞c.; Sept., 75c.; Dec., 70c. OATS closed barely steady and ⅞c. to ⅛c. lower. July, 36c.; Sept., 37⅛c.; Dec., 40⅛c. RYE.—No. 2, cash nominal. Futures barely steady at a fall of 2⅛c. to 2⅞c. July, 49⅛c.; Sept., 53⅞c.; Dec., 59⅞c.

PROVISIONS closed barely steady with lard 12½ to 22½ points lower, and pork 25 to 12½ points down. Cash lard closed 10 points lower at 9.37½. Closing prices:—Lard, July, 9.37½; Sept., 9.52½; Dec., 9.35; pork (drysalted clear bellies), July, 14.00; Sept., 13.40.

BACON was barely steady at 12½ points decline. Hogs easy, light 10 points and heavy sorts 30 to 10 points down. Receipts at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1 total 8,168,000, against 8,247,000 for a similar period last year.

	Bacon, fat backs, 12-14lb.	Hogs Light	Hogs Heavy
To-day	9.62½	9.50 to 10.00	9.20 to 9.90
Previous day	9.75	9.60 to 10.10	9.50 to 10.00
Last year	11.37½	10.75 to 11.60	10.65 to 11.20
Receipts—		Western	Chicago
To-day		97,000	27,000
Previous day		120,000	31,000
Last year		102,000	21,000

AUSTRIAN LOAN PROSPECTS

FINANCE MINISTER'S VISIT TO LONDON

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

VIENNA, JUNE 18

Dr. Juch, the Austrian Minister of Finance, is leaving to-morrow morning for London to discuss the best terms obtainable for the Austrian Government's loan of $100,000,000. Building and industrial activity generally appears all but suspended waiting the funds that are to enable the Government to distribute orders for railway, telegraphic, and telephonic material required for productive public schemes which have been in hand for several years past. The money at best will arrive late for the development of any great activity before winter interferes.

However, one promise, the fulfilment of which is long overdue, will be able to be considered promptly if the loan is floated. It is the lowering of various fees and taxes which the financial and commercial community has been demanding for a long time, and there is no doubt that the Government has extracted in taxes very large and growing amounts needed to balance Budget expenditure.

For the first time, then, in a long while, the cost of emergency employment and regular public schemes will now again be made out of a long-term loan and not out of current revenue, though, of course, the interest and amortization charges will hit the taxpayer. But at least unemployment, which for the season of the year is much greater than it was in the early summer of 1929, may be expected to decrease.

The Austrian internal political situation is very much improved, thanks to the wise and energetic measures adopted by Dr. Schober against disturbing elements in the country, and, given the opportunity, the Chancellor may be trusted to secure real progress in Austria's economy from now on.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

MONTREAL, June 18.—The market was fairly active to-day and mostly lower, although there was no serious declines. Selling was influenced by the weakness at New York, the uncertainty of markets generally, with disquieting trade reports and continued fears of the adverse effects of the American tariff increases. Covering operations caused a slight rally towards the end of the session, but the close was barely steady.

REUTER'S QUOTATIONS

—	J'ne18	J'ne17	—	J'ne18	J'ne17
Abitibi	25¼	26	Cons. Mining	175	185
Alberta Pac. Grain	16	16¾	Dom. Bridge	45½	47
			Dom. Textile	61	64
Asbestos	1	1	Fam. Players	No bid	No bid
Do., Pref.	3	3	Fraser Cos.	9	10
B.C. Packers	5	5¾	Hollinger	5⅝	5⅝
Bras. Tract.	30	30½	Int. Nickel	21¾	21⅞
B.C. Pwr., A	37⅞	38½	Massey, H.	25¾	28⅞
Do., B	17½	17¼	Montreal Lt.	53¼	53⅞
Brit. Emp. Steel	No bid	No bid	Nat. Brew.	27¾	28⅞
			Nat. Steel Car	44⅞	49*
Do., 1st Pf.	No bid	25	Port Alfred Pulp, Pref.	No bid	No bid
Do., 2nd Pf.	4½	4½			
Brompton	22	25	Power Corp.	67¾	69
Calgary	145	150	Price Bros.	No bid	No bid
Can. Car	18	18¼	Quebec Pwr.	52⅞	No bid
Do., Pref.	22⅝	23½	Shawinigan	61¾	63⅞
C. Cement	13	15	S. Canada Power	25	24
Do., Pref.	94	No bid			
C. Cottons	No bid	No bid	Steel Co. of Canada	40¼	41⅞
Indust. Alcohol, A	4¾	5¾	W'peg. Elec.	38	40
Do., B	4	No bid	Bk. Montreal	298	297
C. Power	13⅞	14⅛	Can. Bank Com.	No bid	250
C. Steamship	15¼	15¾	Royal Bank	296	300
Do., Prefd.	No bid	No bid			
Cockshutt	15½	15⅛			

* Ex dividend. † Ex rights.

ARGENTINE GRAIN OPTIONS

BUENOS AIRES, June 18.—Argentine markets will be closed to-morrow. WHEAT closed easy at 7c. to 9c. decline. MAIZE closed steady, unchanged to 1c. higher. OATS closed easy at a decline of 10c. LINSEED closed steady, 10c. to 5c. lower.

CLOSING PRICES	To-day	Prev. close
Buenos Aires:—		
Wheat, July delivery	9.83	9.90
,, August delivery	9.91	10.00
Maize, June delivery	5.92	5.92
,, July delivery	5.78	5.77
Oats, July delivery	4.15	4.25
Linseed, June delivery	18.95	19.05
,, July delivery	18.95	19.05
,, August delivery	19.10	19.15
Rosario:—		
Wheat, No. 2, July delivery	9.85	9.95
Maize, July delivery	5.75	5.70
Linseed, July delivery	18.90	18.95

(Prices in pesos currency per 100 kilos, delivery Buenos Aires.) (Peso—about 1s. 6¼d.)

Another syndicate headed by Messrs. J. P. Morgan and Co. is offering $24,000,000 Four-and-a-Half per Cent. Refunding Bonds of the C.C.C. and St. Louis Railroad at 98.

A syndicate headed by Messrs. Dillon, Read and Co. is offering 250,000 shares of the American and Foreign Power Corporation Six per Cent. Cumulative Preferred stock at 98½.

City News in Brief

Mr. S. S. Taylor has been elected a director of the Consolidated Mines Selection Company.

As from June 24 the address of Atlantic Leased Lines, Limited, will be 676, Salisbury House, E.C.2.

At an extraordinary meeting of John Brown and Co. which was held in London yesterday the special resolutions relating to the scheme of arrangement were passed unanimously.

On June 14 the stocks of silver in Shanghai consisted of about 102,000,000 ounces in sycee, $148,000,000, 12,700,000 Saigon dollars, and 10,840 silver bars, state Messrs. Samuel Montagu and Co., compared with about 100,900,000 ounces in sycee, $146,000,000, 13,700,000 Saigon dollars, and 11,320 silver bars on June 7.

Owing to continued ill-health Mr. E. Roger Owen has felt it necessary to tender his resignation as chairman of the board of the Ocean Accident and Guarantee Corporation, and the directors have accepted his resignation with great regret. Mr. Owen retains his seat on the board. The Hon. Jasper N. Ridley has been appointed chairman. Mr. Joseph Powell has been appointed a director of the corporation.

CARMELITE TRUST POSITION

In a circular to the shareholders, signed by the secretary, the directors of the Carmelite Trust state that no useful purpose would be served at this stage by discussing the merits of the claims made by Anglo-Foreign Newspapers, who have issued a writ against the company. The circular proceeds:—"Since the date of the last annual general meeting in June, 1929, the directorate has undergone extensive changes, including the retirement of the chairman, Mr. H. S. Horne, in November last. The two remaining directors have invited Sir J. R. P. Newman to occupy a seat on the board and are pleased to announce his acceptance. The appointment of additional directors is under consideration and will be governed by negotiations which are now in progress regarding certain of your company's assets.

"The accounts of the company for the year ended April 30 last are in process of audit and will be submitted to shareholders in due course. In the meantime the following brief summary of the company's position (subject to audit), as at April 30 last, may be of interest:—

	£	£
ASSETS:—		
Quoted investments (cost £1,293,938), at market value		584,489
Unquoted investments, at cost		23,030
Loans (partly secured)		536,150
Sundry debtors, &c.		810
Cash		4,750
		£1,149,179
Less LIABILITIES (excluding share capital):—		
Loans	501,560	
Sundry creditors	20,901	
		522,461
Surplus		£626,718

GAUMONT-BRITISH PICTURE CORPORATION

A statement in the following terms relating to the control of the Gaumont-British Picture Corporation has been issued by Lord Lee of Fareham:—

My attention has been drawn to various statements, to which considerable publicity has been given, to the effect that the control of the Gaumont-British Picture Corporation, Limited, has passed into the hands of the Fox Film Corporation of America. There is no truth in this statement, which is sufficiently disproved by the fact that the Metropolis and Bradford Trust Company, Limited, of which I am the permanent chairman, owns, in its right, over 3,000,000 out of the 5,000,000 Ordinary shares of the Gaumont-British Picture Corporation, and thus holds the control by a substantial voting majority. Moreover, the constitution of the Metropolis and Bradford Trust Company, and my appointment as its chairman, were specifically designed to ensure and preserve British control, and there is no intention of surrendering this control to any foreign interest.

ANTWERP PORT TRAFFIC

(FROM OUR BELGIAN CORRESPONDENT)

The statistics of the traffic of the Port of Antwerp for the past year have just been published.

The number of ships which visited the port in 1929 was 103 sailing ships of 40,546 tons and 11,477 steamships of 24,284,557 tons. The total entry was 11,582 vessels, with a total tonnage of 24,325,705. In 1928 the entries were 11,333 vessels of a total tonnage of 23,604,559 tons.

For 1929 the tonnage of entries was distributed among the various flags as follows:—British, 39.1 per cent.; German, 22.8 per cent.; Dutch, 8.2 per cent.; French, 7.3 per cent.; Belgian, 5.9 per cent.; Norwegian, 5 per cent.; American, 2.9 per cent.; Swedish, 2.8 per cent.; Danish, 2.3 per cent.; Japanese, 2.2 per cent., &c.

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MONEY MARKET

FRENCH EXCHANGE LOWER

Demand for money yesterday was comparatively light, and borrowers were able, as a rule, to obtain both renewals and fresh advances at 2 per cent. The tendency at the close was easy, balances being offered over the night in some places at 1½ per cent. The discount market was also a shade less firm, business being occasionally done at 2 7-16. The market, however, remained quiet, buyers being restrained by the approach of the end of the half-year, and the banks were again not working. A small inquiry was again reported on Dutch account, business taking place at 1-32 over 2½ per cent. Hot Treasury bills were on offer at 2 13-32 per cent.

The Bank rate is 3 per cent., to which it was reduced from 3½ per cent. on May 1. The banks' deposit rate is 1 per cent. and the deposit rates of the discount houses are 1 per cent. at call and 1¼ per cent. at notice.

Loans (per Cent.)		Discount (Bank Bills) (per Cent.)			
Day to day.	For short periods.	60 days.	3 months.	4 months.	6 months.
2—2½	2	2 7/16—2½	2 7/16—2½	2⅝	2⅝—2¾

Discount (Treasury Bills)		(Fine Trade Bills)		
2 Mths. %	3 Mths. %	3 months.	4 months.	6 months.
2 7/16	—	3—3½	3¼—3½	3½—4

FOREIGN EXCHANGES

After Tuesday's recovery the French exchange yesterday showed renewed weakness, the rate falling by the close to 123.79f., which compares with 123.81f. on the previous day. Rates on Holland (12.08⅛f.) and Italy (92.77l.) moved in our favour. No change occurred in rates on Brussels (34.83¼b.) or Germany (20.36¼m.), but Swiss francs recovered, the rate on Zurich falling from 25.09½f. to 25.08½f. Spanish pesetas also improved, the rate on Madrid closing at 41.52½p., as against 41.65p. on Tuesday. The sterling dollar exchange was steady, closing 1/16c. lower at $4.85 25/32. Continued weakness was shown by Argentine currency, the peso falling to 41⅛d., which compares with the previous day's level of 41 11/32d. The Brazilian milreis was also slightly easier at 5 35/64d.

The following table gives the range of telegraphic exchange quotations within which business was reported yesterday:—

Place	Method of Quoting	Par of Exch'ge	June 18	June 17
New York	$ to £	4.86⅔	4.85¾-85 15/16	4.85¾-85 27/32
Montreal	$ to £	4.86⅔	4.85⅝-85⅞	4.85⅜-85¾
Paris	Fr. to £	124.21	123.77-123.82	123.78-123.83
Brussels	Bel. to £	35.00	34.82¾-83¾	34.82¾-83½
Milan	Lire to £	92.46	92.74-92.78	92.72-92.79
Zurich	Fr. to £	25.2215	25.08¼-09½	25.08-25.09½
Athens	Dr. to £	375	374¾-375¼	374-376
Helsingfors	M. to £	193.23	192.¾-193	192¾-193
Madrid	Pts. to £	25.2215	41.50-41.90	41.50-42.25
Lisbon	Escu. to£	—	108⅛-108⅜	108⅛-108⅜
Amsterd'm	Fl. to £	12.107	12.08⅛-08¼	12.08-12.08½
Berlin	M. to £	20.43	20.36-20.36¾	20.36¼-36¾
Vienna	Sch. to £	34.58½	34.41-34.45	34.40-34.45
Budapest	Pen. to £	27.82	27.76-27.79	27.75-27.80
Prague	Kr. to £	§164.25	163¾-163⅞	163⅝-163⅞
Warsaw	Zloty to£	43.38	43.31-43.36	43.31-43.36
Riga	Lats to £	25.2215	25.17-25.27	25.17-25.27
Bucharest	Lei to £	813.6	817-819	817-819
Const'ple	Pst. to £	110	1,025‡	1,025‡
Belgrade	Din. to £	25.2215	274⅝-275⅛	274½-275½
Kovno	Lit. to £	48.66	48⅜-48⅞	48⅜-48⅞
Sofia	Lev. to £	673.659	665-675	668-678
Reval	E.Kr.to£	18.159	18.21-18.29	18.20-18.27
Oslo	Kr. to £	18.159	18.14¾-15¼	18.15-18.15½
Stockholm	Kr. to £	18.159	18.08½-09¼	18.08¾-09¼
Copenh'g'n	Kr. to £	18.159	18.15½-18.16	18.15-18.16
Alexandria	Pst. to £	97½	97 7/16-97 9/16	97 7/16-97 9/16
Bombay	Per rup.	18d.	1/5 25/32-27/32	1/5 25/32-27/32
Calcutta	Per rup.	18d.	1/5 25/32-27/32	1/5 25/32-27/32
Madras	Per rup.	18d.	1/5 25/32-27/32	1/5 25/32-27/32
Hong-kong	Per dol.	—	1/3-1/3⅝‡	1/2⅞-1/3½‡
Kobe	Per yen.	24.58d.	2/0 13/32-15/32	2/0 13/32-15/32
Shanghai	Per tael	—	1/5¾-1/6 9/16‡	1/5¼-1/6 7/16‡
Singapore	Per dol.	2/4	2/3 21/32-27/32	2/3 21/32-27/32
Batavia	Fl. to £	12.107	12.07⅛-07⅞	12.06⅝-07⅜
Manila	Per dol.	24.066d.	2/0 5/16	2/0 5/16
Rio de J.	Per mil.	5.899d.	5 17/32-5 19/32	5 17/32-5 19/32
B. Aires	Per dol.	47.577d.	41⅛-41⅜	41 5/16-41 9/16
Valp'raiso†	$ to £	40	39.91	39.90
M'video	Per dol.	51d.	42¾-43¼	42¾-43¼
Lima†	Soles to £	12.166	13.27½	13.20
Mexico	Pesos to£	9.76	10.15-10.35	10.15-10.35

† 90 days. § Based on legal stabilization at $2.90-$3.03 to 100kr. ‡ Nominal.

EMPIRE EXCHANGE RATES

BUYING RATES PER £100

—	Demand			30 days' sight			60 days' sight			90 days' sight		
On:—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Australia	92	12	6	92	1	3	91	10	0	90	18	9
New Zealand	93	17	6	93	6	3	92	15	0	92	2	9
Africa & Rhodesia	98	15	0	98	2	0	97	10	0	96	17	6

SELLING RATES

—	Cable Transfers			Demand		
On:—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Australia	93	17	6	93	10	0
New Zealand	95	7	6	95	0	0
South Africa	99	15	0	99	12	6
Rhodesia	99	16	3	99	13	9

SOUTH AMERICAN EXCHANGES

Country	Method of quoting	Parity	Latest sight rate	Previous sight rate
Ecuador	Sucres to £	24.3325	24.55	24.56
Venezuela	Bolivares to £	25.25	26.00	25.75
Colombia (Bogota)	Pesos to £	5.00	5.06	5.04
Nicaragua	Cordobas to £	4.87	4.92	4.92
Salvador	Colones to £	9.73	9.95	9.92
Bolivia	Pence to Boliviano	18d.	18d.†	18d.

† 90 days.

The Bank of England yesterday announced the purchase of £12 in BAR GOLD. For the week to June 18 there has been a net influx of £346,983, as shown below:—

ARRIVALS	£	WITHDRAWALS	£
June 12—Sovs. released	500,000	June 12—Bar gold	101,417
June 13	Nil	June 13—Bar gold	23,791
June 14	Nil	June 14—Bar gold	3,495
June 16	Nil	June 16—Sovs. set aside	20,833
June 17	Nil	June 17—Bar gold	3,493
June 18—Bar gold	12	June 18	Nil
		Net influx	346,983
Total	£500,012	Total	£500,012

Net influx for 1930 to date, £10,162,070; net efflux for 1929 (according to the published movements of gold), £8,228,489.

In the bullion market the price of GOLD was again quoted at 85s. per ounce.

A further fall of ⅛d. to 15 11/16d. for cash and 15⅝d. for forward delivery took place in the price of BAR SILVER. India was reported to be an intending seller at higher rates, but with buyers also holding back the market was a very quiet one.

NEW CAPITAL FOR MOUNT LYELL

A cablegram from the head office in Melbourne of the Mount Lyell Mining and Railway Company states that the directors have decided to make an issue of 257,839 new £1 shares at par and to offer such shares in the first place to the shareholders in the proportion of one new share for every five shares held, no account being taken of fractions of shares. Provisional allotment will be made to the shareholders registered on June 30. Payment for the shares will be as follows:—10s. per share on or before August 7 next, and the balance of 10s. per share on October 1 next. The issue will not carry the right to the final dividend in respect of profits for the year ending September 30 next, but as from that date will rank *pari passu* with existing shares. Shareholders will be given the opportunity to apply for shares not accepted.

During the past few years a considerable sum of money has been expended on additions to the company's superphosphate interests, the construction of the North Lyell tunnel, the building of a refinery, and extensions to the power and treatment plants. To obtain the best results from the reserves of low-grade ore recently developed further alterations and additions to the plant are necessary in order to increase output of ore to 1,000 tons a day, and the output of copper to 13,000 tons per annum. This will secure lower working costs, besides financial benefit from the extra profit accruing by reason of an increased output. The directors feel that the whole of the above expenditure should not be provided out of profits, and they do not recommend the sale of any of the company's investments. For these reasons it has been decided to raise additional capital to provide the funds required.

NO REDUCTION IN STEEL PRICES

It is announced that at a meeting of the Steel Manufacturers' Association held in London yesterday the question of a reduction of prices was under consideration. It was decided that inasmuch as the condition of the market forbade any hope of freer trading in the near future it was inadvisable to interfere with the present basis of £8 7s. 6d. for angles, £8 10s. for joists, and £8 17s. 6d. for plates, subject to the rebates which have applied hitherto.

COMPANY RESULTS

VAN RYN

The dividends shown in the following table are those announced on the Ordinary capitals (unless otherwise indicated) of the companies mentioned, and are the actual rates being paid (as distinct from the rates per annum):—

Company	Div.	Corre-spdg. div.	Date payable	Total for year	Prev. year
	%	%		%	%
Messina (Trans.) Dev.	Int. 15†	20	July 4	—	—
Nth. Hummock (Selangor) Rbr.	3	Same	—	3	Same
Van Ryn Gold Mines Est.	Fin. 2½*	Same	July 22	5*	Same

† Less tax at 2s. 6d. in the pound. * Tax free.

Sternol, Limited (oil and lubricant manufacturers, &c.).—Interim dividend of 4 per cent. actual on the Eight per Cent. Cumulative Participating Preferred Ordinary shares, payable on June 30, being the same as a year ago.

Yorkshire (West Riding) Electric Tramways.—The directors have decided to pay in respect of the half-year ending June 30, 1930, an interim dividend on the Six per Cent. Cumulative Preference shares of 3 per cent. The last dividend paid on the Ordinary shares was 5 per cent. for 1925.

EDGAR ALLEN AND CO.

The accounts of Edgar Allen and Co., steel manufacturers, Sheffield, for the year ended March 31 show a net profit of £23,491 (against £16,783 for 1928-29), and a balance brought forward of £7,101. The Preference share dividend absorbs £15,000, and it is proposed to pay on July 12 a dividend of 2½ per cent., free of tax (unchanged), leaving £7,078 to be carried forward. Meeting, June 26.

SCOTTISH ASSAM TEA

The Scottish Assam Tea Company secured a crop of 927,360lb. during 1929 (against 852,186lb. in 1928), which realized an average price of 1s. 2.54d. per lb. (against 1s. 5.69d.). The profit for the year amounted to £10,753 (against £17,515), from which has to be deducted £3,408 (against £4,308) added to reserve for labour and machinery. The dividend is to be reduced from 20 per cent. to 10 per cent., leaving the carry-forward increased by £911 to £6,165. Meeting, June 26.

TAYLORS (CASH CHEMISTS) TRUST

The net profit of Taylors (Cash Chemists) Trust for the year to March 31 fell from £114,425 in 1928-29 to £78,344. The dividend on the Deferred shares is to be reduced to 20 per cent. from 33 1-3 per cent., and £10,000 (against £20,000) is placed to reserve, leaving £10,017 to be carried forward (against £13,235). The directors state that the reduction in revenue is mainly accounted for by profits on sales of investments realizing some £30,000 less than last year. Meeting, June 27.

CORK MANUFACTURING COMPANY

The profit of the Cork Manufacturing Company increased from £8,725 in 1928-29 to £15,411 for the year ended April 30 last and £1,715 was brought forward. The directors recommend a final dividend of 7½ per cent., making 10 per cent. for the year (against 7 per cent.), £4,500 (against £3,000) is added to reserve, £3,506 (against nil) is written off goodwill and current contracts, and £1,500 (against £1,000) is placed to depreciation reserve, leaving £1,761 to be carried forward. Meeting, June 26.

NEUCHATEL ASPHALTE

The Neuchatel Asphalte Company earned a net profit of £31,612 during 1929, compared with £45,278 in 1928. As already announced, the dividend is to be reduced from 6¼ per cent. to 5 per cent., and the balance of £68,556 is to be carried forward (against £67,938). Last year £5,000 was appropriated for special depreciation of plant, and £5,000 was added to reserve. The report states that the business in the United Kingdom shows improved results and the company's business abroad has been fairly maintained, but world financial conditions have affected and are affecting business in many countries in which the company operates. Meeting, June 26.

RANSOMES, SIMS AND JEFFERIES

The accounts of Ransomes, Sims and Jefferies, a controlling interest in which is held by Ruston and Hornsby, show that the net profit amounted to £20,143 for the year ended March 31 (against £21,112 for 1928-29), to which is added £50,434 brought forward. The dividend on the Preference shares absorbs £11,000, leaving £59,577 to be carried forward. Last year a dividend of 2½ per cent. was paid on the Ordinary shares. The report states that the greater part of the company's business consists of the manufacture of agricultural machinery, and unfortunately during the year under review the position of agriculture, both at home and abroad, has become worse than it has for many years, owing to the low price of agricultural produce.

HALL AND CO.

Hall and Co., coal, gravel, lime and cement merchants, increased their net profit (£48,193 in 1928-29) to £85,722 in the year ended March 31 last. The dividend is to be maintained at 10 per cent., but the bonus is being raised from 7½ per cent. to 10 per cent., while £20,000 (against £15,000) is to be placed to reserve and £15,000 (against £3,500) set aside for reserve for pensions and sickness. The commission to directors, calculated at 6 per cent., this year amounts to £5,143 (compared with £2,891), and the bonus to staff is increased from £4,500 to £8,000. After these allocations the carry-forward will amount to £74,899 (against £62,596). The total of the balance-sheet is £706,869, of which debtors, after provision for doubtful debts and discounts, account for £222,974. Meeting, June 28.

MERLIMAU PEGOH

The accounts for 1929 of Merlimau Pegoh show a working profit of £37,816 (against £27,603 for 1928), to which is added £2,998 by interest and £30,000 (against nil) dividend from Consolidated Eastern Plantations, making the total profit £70,814 (against £27,875), of which £1,704 was required for Debenture interest. The directors recommend a final dividend of 5 per cent., making 10 per cent. for the year (against 5 per cent.) and £7,068 (against nil) is to be written off Debenture issue expenses, leaving £8,552 to be carried forward (against £5,988). Last year £5,964 was applied in writing off stamp duty, &c., in connexion with the amalgamation scheme. The crop amounted to 3,311,200lb. (against 2,722,162lb.) which realized, including the value of stock, an average price of 9.87d. per lb. (compared with 9.69d.). Meeting, June 26.

CYPRUS ASBESTOS

The report of the Cyprus Asbestos Company states that during 1929 there were mined 2,109,620 tons of rock (against 2,115,876 tons in 1928); 407,224 tons of ore were milled (against 433,271 tons), and 14,110 tons of asbestos fibre were produced (against 16,287 tons). The net profit fell from £61,037 in 1928 to £45,103. Again no dividend is to be paid, but £50,000 (£46,299) is placed to reserve, raising it to £100,000, leaving £38,827 (against £43,724) to be carried forward. It is stated that the company has had no difficulty in the past in disposing of its entire production, but unless world market conditions improve its output during the current year will have to be restricted. The directors are hopeful that it will not be necessary to restrict production beyond the current year, as there appears to be an indication of an increasing demand for asbestos. Meeting, July 31.

AFRICAN LAND AND INVESTMENT

The total income of the African Land and Investment Company for the year to March 31 was £20,461, a reduction of £2,413, which, it is stated, was mainly due to decrease in dividends received on share investments and in receipts from other sources which are not of a permanent nature. The profit amounted to £18,930 (against £29,311), of which £7,435 was required for Debenture interest. The sum of £9,000 (against £6,000) is added to the reserve for depreciated values of fixed properties, and £1,422 (against £9,365) has been reserved to meet depreciation of certain shareholdings, leaving £1,073 (against £1,818) to be applied to the reduction of the debit balance to £95,682. Last year £4,358 was provided for losses on town properties realized. The report states that the share investments (£80,174, after deducting the reserve of £13,201) had a market value at March 31 of £92,754. Meeting, Johannesburg, July 25.

FISHER'S FOILS

The first accounts of Fisher's Foils, tin and aluminium foil manufacturers, show that the net profit for the period to April 30 was £1,102. The directors recommend that £776 be written off advertising account and that the balance of £326 should be carried forward. The auditors' report states that no depreciation has been written off the new plant and machinery, costing £32,258, purchased towards the end of the period covered by the accounts; the directors' fees charged of £1,625 are £625 in excess of the amount authorized by the company's articles. The directors state in their report that in the early days of the company's existence they were called upon to spend their time constantly on the company's affairs, and they consider that some additional remuneration would be reasonable. The necessary resolution will be submitted at the meeting. The directors also state that the board has adopted the course of writing-off (with the exception of special advertising) the whole of those expenses that could have been carried to development account. This course, it is stated, has resulted in profits being shown virtually at vanishing point, but as the result the position has been conserved for future dividend distribution. Meeting, June 26.

RHODESIA-KATANGA COMPANY

The first report of the Rhodesia-Katanga Company, which is a reconstruction of the old Rhodesia-Katanga Junction Railway and Mineral Company, states that the mineralization of the Kansanshi Mine has resulted in the formation of three different types of ore bodies—namely, nearly vertical fissure veins, extensive dolomite replacement ore bodies, and sulphide bearing beds. Metallurgical tests made on the various types of ores show they are all amenable to treatment by modern methods at reasonable cost, and there is a possibility of mining a large tonnage of ore by cheap mechanical means from open cast quarries, and that large bodies of other copper ore are being opened up which indicate the probability of production on a large scale. In order to arrive at a decision as to the scale of production, sinking and drilling are being continued to 2,000ft. in depth. The balance-sheet shows that the debit to income and expenditure account for the period from June 6 to December 31 amounted to £36,531. The Kansanshi Mine, coal and mineral rights and farms are entered at £707,416, while investments at market value stand at £252,282; and cash at £116,861. Meeting, June 26.

TELEPHONE RENTALS

A scheme was approved in November last year by shareholders of the Telephone Manufacturing Company under which the two sections of the business—the installation and the manufacturing—were separated and two new companies formed to take them over. The profitable side of the business was that concerned with installation, which was carried on through a number of subsidiary companies. A new holding company was formed to take over the investments in these subsidiaries under the title of Telephone Rentals. The first report of this company for the period ended May 31 last has now been issued and states that the profit of the British and Australian subsidiaries for the year 1929 amounted to £68,020 after meeting all charges except income-tax. Dividends paid to the parent company amount to £65,375 gross, and after meeting general expenses, directors' fees, and income-tax, the net revenue of the parent company is shown at £50,748. An interim of 2½ per cent. has already been paid and a final dividend at the same rate is now proposed, leaving £27,123 to be carried forward. The directors state that they are unable to recommend a higher final dividend owing to the large amount of telephone rental business on offer, the financing of which might be difficult if a large proportion of the profits were distributed. The financial position in Australia had also to be taken into consideration. The Australian subsidiary had a successful year, but it was decided not to pay a dividend on the Ordinary shares. The reorganization of the three Continental subsidiaries were completed during 1929, and two of them traded at a profit for that year. Meeting, June 26.

CONTINENTAL BOURSE QUOTATIONS

PARIS, June 18.—The following are closing quotations on the Bourse:—

3% Perpetual Rentes, 86.70 (previous closing, 86.65); 5% Rentes, 1915-16, 100.80 (100.95); 4%, 1917, 101.25 (101.30); 4%, 1918, 101.40 (101.40); 5%, 1920, 133.80 (133.75); 6%, 1920, 100.80 (100.70); 6%, 1927, 104.90 (104.75); 5% Credit National, 1919, 621 (621); 5%, 1920, 543 (543); 6%, 1921, 542 (547); 6%, 1922 (1st), 533 (533); 6%, 1923 (1st), 560 (559); 6%, 1924, 559 (558); 4% Egyptian Unified, 368.50 (355.50); 3½% Italian Rentes, 92.20 (92.10); 5% Brazilian, 1914, 373 (376); 5% Russian, 1909, 4.70 (—); 4½% Russian, 1906, 2.50 (2.50); 4% Turkish Unified, 53.50 (53.70); Banque de France, 21,330 (21,280); Banque de Paris, 2,695 (2,695); Banque Parisienne, 1,770 (1,780); Comptoir National d'Escompte, 1,888 (1,894); Credit Foncier Egyptien, 3,515 (3,490); Credit Lyonnais, 3,005 (2,985); Banque d'Orient, 342 (—); Banque Ottomane, 940 (945); Suez Canal Shares, 17,650 (17,630); Chargeurs Reunis, 658 (645); Messageries Maritimes, 218 (212); Transatlantique, 709 (706); Raffinerie Say, 1,780 (1,800); Sucreries d'Egypte, 610 (610); Wagons Lits, 485 (501); Thomson Houston, 766 (764); Lautaro Nitrate, 408 (410); Ford of France, 272 (268); Rio Tinto, 4,150 (4,130); Tharsis, 447 (444); De Beers Deferred, 890 (930); De Beers Preferred, 1,480 (1,504); Jagersfontein, 204 (207); Central Mining, 1,940 (1,930); Chartered, 205 (205); Brakpan, 363 (356); Crown Mines, 437 (426); East Rand, 61 (61); Geduld, 450 (434); General Mining, 85 (85); Consolidated Goldfields, 190 (186); Johannesburg Consolidated, 231 (233); Randfontein Estate, 43 (43); Rand Mines, 378 (372); Tanganyika, 277 (276); Transvaal Consolidated, 158 (158); Union Corporation, 400 (400); Mozambique, 55 (55); West Rand Mines Consolidated, 40 (38); Caoutchoucs, 151 (152); Eastern International, 100 (99); Gula Kalumpong, 138 (138); Kuala Lumpur, 164 (163); Malacca, 173 (173); Mexican Eagle, 146 (147); Royal Dutch, 39,105 (39,510); Shell Transport, 583 (582); Platine 1,732 (1,750); Oceana Consolidated, 12.75 (12.75). Exchange on New York, 25.48½ (25.48¾); on London, (official average), 123.80 (123.82). Cheques, closing market rate, 123.79 (123.81). Private discount rate, 2⅛% (2⅛%); short money, 2% (2%).—*Reuter.*

AMSTERDAM, June 18.—Closing quotations:—6% Dutch, 1922, 103 9/16 (previous, 102¾); 5% Dutch, 102 11/16 (102⅛); 2½% Dutch, 66 1/16 (66⅛); 3% Dutch, 79 11/16 (79¼); Peruvian, 6⅞ (7⅛); Peruvian 4% Cum. Pref., 44½ (44 5/16); Erie, 38 (38⅛); New York Ontario, 10 9/16 (11); United States Steel, 161¼ (159½); Union Pacific, 214½ (214); Royal Dutch Petroleum, 384½ (385½); Anaconda, 96½ (99½); Deli Batavia Rubber, 74 (71¼); Deli Batavia Tobacco, 305½ (305¼); Deli Mij, 325½ (330); Amsterdam Rubber, 122 (113); Margarine Unie, 255 (245½); Philips Lamps, 342½ (338). Exchange on Berlin, 59.35 (59.34); London, 12.08 11/16 (12.08½); New York, 2.48 13/16 (2.48¾); Paris, 9.76½ (9.76¼).

BERLIN, June 18.—Closing quotations:—Deutsche Erdoel, 89.50 (previous, 90); Dynamit Nobel, 80 (80.50); Kali Industrie Kassel, 189 (187); Salzdetfurth, 375.50 (382.50); Rheinbraunkohlen, 211 (214.50); Rhein. Westfael. Elekt., 170.50 (170).

Reuter's quotations:—German Loan Liquidation Debt, 9) previous, 9.10); Mexican Consols, 17.37 (17.50); Reichsbank, 261 (270); Berliner Handels Gesellschaft, 163.50 (164.50); Commerz and Privat Bank, 144 (145); Darmstaedter and National Bank, 214.25 (216.75); Deutsche Bank and Disconto Ges., 136 (136.75); Dresdner Bank, 136 (137); Gelsenkirchen Bergwerke, 132 (133); Harpener, 122.50 (122.75); Allgemeine Elekt., 152.50 (155.30); Farbenindustrie, 156 (159.75); Farbenindustrie 6% Debs., 104.75 (106); Hamburg Amerika, 103.50 (104); Norddeutsche Lloyd, 103.80 (104.10); A.K.U., 86.75 (88); Vereinigte Stahlwerke, 89.30 (90); Svenska Tandsticks, 300 (302); Polyphon, 231 (240.25); Siemens and Halske, 24.25 (228.50); Schuckert 166.75 (168.25). Exchange on London, 20.36⅝ (20.36¼); Paris, 16.44 (16.45); Amsterdam, 168.53 (168.57); New York, 4.19¼ (4.19 3/16). Short term (30-55 days), 3½% (3½%); long term (55-90 days), 3½% (3½%); call money, 2%-4½% (2½%-4%).

BUDAPEST, June 18.—Closing quotations:—National Savings Bank of Hungary, 216.80 (previous, 217); British Hungarian Bank, 77.20 (77.20); Hungarian General Credit Bank, 68 (68); Hungarian Discount and Exchange Bank, 87.10 (87.20); Hungaro-Italian Bank, 67 (67); Hungarian Commercial Bank of Pest, 105 (105); City Savings Bank, 67 (67); Hungarian Commercial Savings Bank, 78.10 (78); National Central Savings Bank, 80.50 (80.50); First National Savings Bank Corporation of Pest, 179 (179); Totis Coal, 545.50 (540); United Industry, 28.50 (29); Salgo Tarjan Coal, 38.40 (38.30); Hungarian Colliery Works of Urikany-Zsilvolgy, 92.70 (92.50); Arms and Machine Works, 212.50 (212); Ganz and Co. Danubius, 75.20 (76.20); Rima Iron Works, 67.20 (67.20); O.F.A. Timber, 78 (78); Union des Usines, 127.50 (127); Sugar Works Veliklki Becskerek, 101 (101); Hungarian Sugar, 97.50 (96.25); United Glow Lamps, 119.30 (118.60); Hungarian Fertiliser, 28 (28); Electric Power Traction, 113.60 (113.50); Cellulose and Works of Brasso, 27.80 (27.30). Exchange on London, 27.82½ (27.82½).—*Reuter.*

VIENNA, June 18.—Closing quotations:—Gar. Oest. Voelkerbundani (Austrian Issue), 108 (previous, 108.10); Donau-Save Adria-Bahn (formerly Sudbahn), 12.35 (12.50); Donau-Save-Adria-Bahn, Pref., 93 (92.81); Oest. National Bank, 317 (308.50); Wiener Bank-verein, 18.20 (18.20); Oest. Credit Anstalt, 47.60 (47.60); Niederoest Eskompte, 160 (160); Zivnostanska Bank, 94.25 (93.85); Donau-Dampfschiffahrts, 25.10 (25.10); A.E.G. Union Elekt., 22.45 (21.80); Oest. Brown-Boveri, 169.50 (168.50); Oest. Siemens Schuckert, 193 (195 ex. div.); Oest. Salgo Tarjaner Steinkohlen, 48.75 (47.20); Ungar. Allg. Kohlen, — (674.50); Oest. Alpine-Montan, 23.35 (22.85); Berg and Huettenwerke, 682 (666); Felten and Guilleaume, 58.10 (57.90); Berndofer Metallwarenfabrik, Arthur Krupp, 5.90 (—); Galiz Karpathen Petroleum, 3.40 (3.41). Exchange on Amsterdam, 284.89 (284.93); on London, 34.42⅞ (34.42½); on New York, 686 (687); on Paris, 27.79½ (27.81). The Bourse will be closed to-morrow.—*Reuter.*

MILAN, June 18.—Closing quotations:—Exchange on London, 92.76 (previous 92.77½); Consolidato 5%, 85.15 (85.15); Banca d'Italia, 1,950 (1,965); Banca Commerciale, 1,417 (1,417); Banco di Roma, 111 (111); Credito Italiano, 803 (803); Cosulich Navigazione, 88 (87½); Meridionali, 1,265 (1,265); Navigazione Generale, 503 (503); Cantoni Coats, 618 (618); Soie Chatillon, 251½ (252); Snia Viscosa, 54 (54½); Ilva, 206 (206); Monte Amiata, 281½ (286); Montecatini, 223¾ (254); Fiat, 338 (343); Adriatica, 240½ (240); Edison, 717 (721); Unione Esercizi Elettrici, 107 (107¼); Terni, 367½ (367½); Consorzio Mobiliare Finanziario, 817 (817½); Adamello, 298¼ (298½).

HOME RAILWAY TRAFFICS

WHIT MONDAY RECEIPTS

Company	Passengers	Merchandise	Coal and coke	Total
	£	£	£	£
Gt. Western	285,000	167,000	69,000	521,000
Inc. or dec. on 1929	+ 28,000	− 79,000	− 55,000	− 106,000
L.M. & S.	605,000	421,500	141,500	1,168,000
Inc. or dec. on 1929	+ 55,000	− 167,500	− 107,500	− 220,000
L. & N. Eastn.	429,000	323,000	192,000	944,000
Inc. or dec. on 1929	+ 65,000	− 97,000	− 77,000	− 109,000
Southern	384,000	67,000	20,000	471,000
Inc. or dec. on 1929	+ 43,000	− 14,500	− 7,500	+ 21,000

RECEIPTS FOR 24 WEEKS TO JUNE 14-15 (000's omitted)

Company	Passengers	Merchandise	Coal and coke	Total
Gt. Western	5,090	5,104	2,982	13,176
Inc. or dec. on 1929	− 109	− 252	− 77	− 438
L.M. & S.	11,348	12,972	6,312	30,632
Inc. or dec. on 1929	− 416	− 492	− 445	− 1,353
L. & N. Eastn.	7,655	9,563	6,334	23,552
Inc. or dec. on 1929	− 137	− 359	− 137	− 633
Southern	6,967	1,816	722	9,505
Inc. or dec. on 1929	+ 10	− 16	− 76	− 82

OTHER HOME RAILWAYS

Company	Past week	Inc. or Dec.	Aggregate from Jan. 1 Inc. or Dec.
Belfast and C. Down	£3,906	+209	−1,667
Gt. N. (Ireland)	£27,050	−150	−28,850
Mersey	£4,390	+371	+3,735
Metropolitan	£38,800	+2,500	+23,900
Undergrd. Elec. of London:—			
Commn. Fd. Cos.	£346,900	+42,800	+494,900
Ldn. and Sub. Tractn. Group	£53,000	+8,100	+86,900

INDIAN, COLONIAL, AND FOREIGN RAILWAYS

Company	Past week*	Inc. or Dec.	Aggregate Inc. or Dec. from July 1*
Antofag. and Bolivia	£24,140	−14,720	−253,555 (Jan. 1)
Argen. N. Eastn.	£17,800	+3,800	+10,200
B. A. and Pacific	£120,000	−44,000	−1,218,000
B. A. Central	£12,310	−3,576	−77,070
B. A. Lacroze Trams.	£11,349	−873	−42,523
B. A. Gt. Sthrn.	£202,000	−39,000	−801,000
B. A. Western	£72,000	−13,000	−862,000
Canadian Pac.	$3,376,000	−778,000	−17,534,000
Cent. Argentine	£177,000	−95,000	−2,446,000
Entre Rios	£24,400	+2,400	−135,200
Gt. Westn. of Brazil	£9,000	−4,400	−60,600 (Jan. 1)
Leopoldina	£31,828	−14,505	−59,421 (Jan. 1)
Do., Terminal	Rs.291,000	+8,000	+327,000
Nitrate Rlys. (two weeks to June 15)	£12,498	−13,627	−171,827 (Jan. 1)
Ottoman (Smyrna to Aidin)	£4,070	−2,106	−12,806 (Jan. 1)
Salvador	£2,977	−133	−31,546
United of Havana	£40,512	−9,366	−501,161

*Unless otherwise shown.

AMERICAN STEEL TRADE

NEW YORK, June 18.—The *Iron Age* in its weekly steel trade review, says that the effects of the sharp drop in motor specifications and prospects that July curtailment will prove more drastic than recently expected, coupled with the increasingly general tendency towards seasonal retrenchments in other consuming industries, were too sweeping to be offset by the large volume of pipe line orders and the growing demand for structural steel. The country's steel ingot output further decreased to 65 per cent., and prices remain weak, although the absence of widespread or sharp reductions suggests more determined resistance. The passing of the Tariff Bill has had no influence on the market owing to the few changes in the metal schedule.

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LORD KYLSANT'S STATEMENT

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company was held yesterday at the Cannon Street Hotel, London, E.C.

The RIGHT HON. LORD KYLSANT, G.C.M.G. (chairman of the company), presided.

The SECRETARY (Mr. D. I. Conradi, F.C.I.S.) having read the notice convening the meeting and the report of the auditors,

The CHAIRMAN said:—Ladies and gentlemen, —The report of the Court of Directors and the audited accounts for the year ended December 31, 1929, were circulated some days ago, and I assume that, as usual, you will agree to their being taken as read. (Agreed.)

Last autumn the company celebrated the ninetieth anniversary of its incorporation by Royal Charter in 1839. During that long period the company has passed through periods of prosperity and of difficulty, alternating with the recurrent cycles in trade. It is just 27 years since I became chairman of the company.

I propose to-day first to review the principal features of the company's operations for the past year, and then to give the proprietors a general survey of the position of the group comprising the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company and its subsidiary and allied shipping companies.

THE ACCOUNTS

The accounts for the year under review are shown in greater detail than hitherto, and set out the position clearly. The earnings for the first part of 1929 showed improvement over those for the previous year, but, owing to the accentuation of the universal depression in trade during the latter part of 1929, the results for the whole year were somewhat less favourable.

The balance for the year under review, including the amount brought forward from 1928, is £704,027, and, after transferring £300,000 from the insurance fund, paying Debenture interest for the year, dividends on Preference stocks for the half-year ended June 30, 1929, and all expenses, and providing £414,855 for depreciation, the balance remaining is £151,422, which we propose to carry forward. The reserve fund amounts to £1,450,000 and the insurance fund now stands at £1,040,000, together totalling £2,490,000.

Reference is made in the report to the short-dated trade facilities loans to the R.M.S.P. Meat Transports, Limited, guaranteed by the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, which fall due for repayment in September and October, 1930. As you are aware, a public announcement was made last week to the effect that arrangements have been made with the Trade Facilities Act Advisory Committee and the Government of Northern Ireland to continue their facilities in the meantime. I will make further reference later on to this important matter.

The fleet of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, exclusive of the vessels owned by the R.M.S.P. Meat Transports, Limited, cost over £10,000,000, and has been written down in the books to under £3,400,000, showing that in the matter of providing depreciation the Court of Directors has always followed a conservative policy.

SUBSIDIARY SHIPPING COMPANIES

Turning to investments in subsidiary shipping companies (*i.e.*, companies in which the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company or companies owned by it hold more than 50 per cent. of the issued Ordinary capital), these investments have been written down in the company's books to £7,670,000, which figure the auditors consider is in excess of their present value under existing conditions.

The Royal Mail Steam Packet Company holds the whole of the capital of the following companies, viz.:—

R.M.S.P. MEAT TRANSPORTS, LIMITED, which has a fine modern fleet of refrigerated vessels, has no Debentures, and has paid regular dividends.

PACIFIC STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, founded 90 years ago, which has an efficient and up-to-date fleet, has neither Debentures nor Preference shares, and has regularly declared dividends, except for the year 1929, when, although the results of the company's operations showed further improvement, it was considered prudent not to pay a dividend.

NELSON STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED, which has a fine new fleet of motor passenger and refrigerated vessels, has no Preference shares, and has regularly paid dividends.

DAVID MACIVER AND CO., LIMITED, which has an up-to-date fleet of motor cargo vessels and steamers, and has neither Debentures nor Preference shares, but has not paid a dividend since 1924.

Each of these companies has important interests in the trade with the South American continent.

In addition, the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company owns practically the whole of the capital of MacAndrews and Co., Limited, which has a modern fleet of vessels, has no Debentures or Preference shares, and showed improved operating results for 1929. This company has been engaged in the Spanish trade for 160 years.

Investments in subsidiary shipping companies also include:—

Fifty-one per cent. of the Ordinary shares in WHITE STAR LINE, LIMITED, which holds the entire share capital of the Oceanic Steam Navigation Company, Limited, which, in turn, owns practically the whole of the Ordinary shares of Shaw Savill and Albion Company, Limited, both of which latter companies have regularly paid dividends;

and 56 per cent. of the Ordinary shares in COAST LINES, LIMITED, which has shown steadily improving results.

The fleets of all these subsidiary companies have been well maintained and are well written down. Inasmuch as the shares in these companies are held by the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company and its associated companies, they are, of course, not quoted on the Stock Exchange.

ALLIED SHIPPING COMPANIES

As regards investments in allied shipping companies (*i.e.*, companies in which the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company is a considerable shareholder), these stand in the books at £3,455,000. Looking to the existing condition of the shipping trade, the auditors are of opinion that these investments also are not at present worth their full book value. They include large holdings in the following well-known companies, viz.:—

LAMPORT AND HOLT, LIMITED (36 per cent. holding of Ordinary shares). This company, as is well known, is passing through a very difficult time, but the management of the company has been entirely reorganized and it is hoped that the changes now being put into operation may before long produce improved results.

ARGENTINE NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED (22 per cent. holding of Ordinary shares), which now pays regular satisfactory dividends.

UNION-CASTLE MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED (practically 50 per cent. holding of Ordinary shares), which has paid regular dividends.

GLEN LINE, LIMITED (50 per cent. holding of Ordinary shares), which has paid off its entire Trade Facilities Loan.

JAMES MOSS AND CO., LIMITED (26 per cent. holding of Ordinary shares), which has resumed paying a dividend.

ELDER DEMPSTER AND CO., LIMITED (24 per cent. holding of Ordinary shares), which has regularly paid dividends up to the end of 1928.

The first five of these companies have recently held their annual meetings, full reports of which were published in the Press in the case of the two first-named companies, while the annual meeting of the last-named company, viz., Elder Dempster and Co., Limited, will be held later this month and the proceedings will be published.

SERVICES—PASSENGER TRAFFIC

Throughout the year, the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's mail, intermediate and cargo services to and from South American ports were regularly maintained, as well as our cargo services between the United Kingdom and the West Indies, and our joint service with the Holland-America Line to and from North Pacific ports.

The number of saloon passengers to and from South America did not vary much from those carried in the previous year, but there was a gratifying increase in the volume of emigrant business, notwithstanding the greater restrictions imposed by the Governments of some of the Central European States. The two fine motor passenger vessels Alcantara and Asturias and the other mail boats of the "A" class continue to be popular with the travelling public, as well as our "D" steamers, which carry on a regular service between Liverpool and South American ports.

Our subsidiary company, the Nelson Line, recently built five fine motor passenger and refrigerated vessels, which have now all been delivered by the shipbuilders, and which maintain a regular fortnightly service between London and Brazil and the River Plate. These are proving very satisfactory in service, and are receiving gratifying support from the class of passengers for whom these vessels specially cater.

I mentioned last year that the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company had under consideration laying down one or possibly two new fast passenger vessels for our South American mail service. Whilst the plans for such a type of vessel have been carefully prepared, orders to proceed with the work of construction have not yet been definitely given, but in view of the keen competition on this route, particularly on the part of foreign lines, we are very much alive to the need for having such new fast passenger tonnage for our South American service as early as possible.

CRUISING PROGRAMME

This company was one of the pioneers in providing pleasure cruises by ocean liners and during the past year our cruising programme has again been extended. We have brought into the cruising service the fine vessel Atlantis, of 15,600 gross register tons, which has been specially fitted and is equipped with the latest facilities for the utmost comfort and enjoyment on an ocean pleasure cruise.

The M.V. Alcantara was detached from the South American service during the less busy season, and made a cruise to the West Indies in January of this year, whilst last year the Arcadian inaugurated calls at Leningrad, allowing a visit to Moscow, which innovation is being repeated this summer by the Atlantis. Calls at the Crimea have also been instituted this year, and this district, rich in historical associations, is proving of great interest to passengers.

Our service between New York and Bermuda is now being maintained by the popular cruising steamer Arcadian, which will continue to operate on this route throughout the year, whilst the Araguaya is engaged in cruising from New York to the West Indies and Canada.

FREIGHT SERVICES

For several years past conditions as regards freight in the South American trade have been very difficult, owing to the extremely keen competition on this route. The situation became accentuated by the heavy fall in rates of freight which took place in the latter months of last year, consequent upon the diminution in the volume of shipments due to the world-wide general depression in trade. I am glad to be able to record that, as regards refrigerated cargo, our freight earnings in 1929 showed an increase over those for the previous year.

ARGENTINA

The British Economic Mission which recently visited the Argentine, under the able leadership of Lord D'Abernon, undoubtedly achieved good results as the direct outcome of its work, which should be further enhanced by the British Empire Trade Exhibition to be held at Buenos Aires early next year, which is being well supported by British manufacturers. In this connexion I should like to mention the very valuable work that is being done by Sir Herbert Gibson as chairman of the Exhibition Committee in Buenos Aires.

Given industrial peace in Argentina, for which President Irigoyen has striven so ably, I have every confidence that—as a natural consequence of the ties which have happily united both countries for over a century—still further development will take place of the trade between this country and that great Republic, whose potentialities are almost inexhaustible.

BRAZIL

Economic conditions in Brazil are virtually governed by the position of the coffee trade, in which that great country holds so large a stake. On account of the large accumulation of stocks in Brazil consequent upon a succession of good crops, accompanied by the artificial maintenance of price levels and over-production in other parts of the world, difficulties were experienced during the past year, culminating in the collapse of the market.

Steps have been taken by the Brazilian authorities to ameliorate the position, and the conditions on which the recent loan to the Sao Paulo Government was floated should gradually restore the industry to a sound position. Meanwhile these difficulties have naturally been reflected in the general trade of the country, but, considering the severe depression in the staple product upon which Brazil so largely depends, the trade and finances of the country have shown remarkable buoyancy.

The company's vessels continue to secure their share of the shipments of citrus fruit from Brazil, and, whilst we do not anticipate any considerable increase in this traffic during the current year, the development of this trade is receiving every encouragement from the Brazilian Government, and is becoming stabilized on sound lines. We look forward to the further steady expansion of shipments in the future.

The Presidential elections in Brazil have resulted in the return of Dr. Julio Prestes de Albuquerque, thereby ensuring the continuation of the enlightened régime instituted by Dr. Washington Luiz, whose policy has done so much to promote the financial stability of the country.

PAYMENTS FOR CONVEYANCE OF MAILS

Nearly all the countries which have regular passenger services to and from South America grant large subsidies to their own national lines for the carriage of mails—namely:—

The French Government gave a subsidy of £200,000 for 1929 and have since increased it to £286,000 per annum.

The Italian and Spanish Governments both give large subsidies to their regular lines, although the actual amount paid to each line is, I understand, not published.

The United States Government have granted a subsidy of about £250,000 per annum for the service to Brazil and River Plate, and also a subsidy of £239,000 per annum for the service to Chile and Peru.

The Brazilian Government have just increased their subsidy to the Lloyd Brasileiro Company to £500,000 per annum, although a considerable portion of this large sum is allocated to their coastal services.

This indicates the nature of the difficulties with which an old-established company like the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company has to contend in maintaining its position in trades which it has done so much to build up.

POSITION OF THE GROUP

I will now deal with the position of what is commonly known as the Royal Mail Group of Shipping Companies. The fleet of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company and its subsidiary and allied shipping companies, which is the largest merchant fleet in the world, represents nearly one-seventh of the entire British Mercantile Marine.

As set out in the report, the total fleet, exclusive of vessels building, consists of over 2,600,000 gross register tons, comprising over 500 mail, passenger, and cargo vessels, of all sizes and types to meet the varying requirements of the large number of regular trades in which the associated companies are interested, serving as they do practically all parts of the world.

As indicating the magnitude of the operations of the Royal Mail Group, the vessels during 1929 covered over 21,000,000 miles, made over 80,000 entries into ports, carried over 1,500,000 passengers and over 14,500,000 tons of cargo, and employed nearly 60,000 men on ship and shore. (Cheers.)

WRITING DOWN OF THE FLEET

The prime cost of the whole fleet to build was over £106,000,000, and the vessels are written down in the books as at January 1, 1930, to £52,000,000.

On the basis of the depreciation that is allowed to shipping companies by the Inland Revenue authorities, which a life-long experience as a shipowner has shown me to be a correct basis of depreciation, this fleet need only have been written down to £58,000,000, so that we have erred on the conservative side to the extent of having written down the fleet by over £6,000,000 in excess of the standard of the Inland Revenue authorities. (Cheers.)

The dates of construction of the individual vessels of this fleet are fairly spread over the last 20 or 25 years, so that, although some vessels were built when prices ruled high, the majority were built when prices were lower.

When considering the financial position of the group, it is often overlooked that the large amounts of depreciation annually written off the book value of the vessels are available either in reduction of loans for shipbuilding or in payment otherwise for new vessels, or for strengthening the general position of the companies.

RESERVES AND GROSS PROFITS OF THE GROUP

As at January 1, 1930, the total reserve funds of the Royal Mail Group of Shipping Companies amounted to over £8,950,000; the insurance funds aggregated over £3,650,000, while other reserves and profit and loss account balances totalled over £2,650,000, making altogether over £15,250,000.

Shipping has been passing through an abnormally difficult period in the last few years, and you may therefore be interested to know that, during the last four years, the gross profits of the Royal Mail Group of Shipping Companies, before charging interest or depreciation, have averaged even in these difficult times over £5,000,000 per annum—namely:—

For 1926	over	£4,827,000
„ 1927	„	£5,697,000
„ 1928	„	£5,010,000
„ 1929	about	£4,900,000

For such results, in these exceptionally difficult times, we are deeply indebted to the good work of the able managers, officials, and staffs of the various companies, which I greatly appreciate.

RECORD WITH GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS

And now a word regarding this group's past record with the Government Departments. Three years before the War—viz., in 1911 —I was asked by the Board of Admiralty whether our group were prepared, at our own expense, to arm our ships—or such ships as they desired armed—and we agreed to do so. Shortly afterwards I was informed that, owing to a difficult position having arisen, the arming of British merchant ships had been postponed.

In 1912 a number of other British shipping companies also agreed to arm their ships at their own expense, but, as the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company had taken the lead in the matter, the Admiralty arranged that a Royal Mail vessel should be the first merchant ship to be actually armed.

During the War I was asked by the Treasury whether, in order to assist the success of a big issue of War Loan, our group of shipping companies would help, in response to which we agreed to take up five millions sterling. (Cheers.)

Throughout the War the entire resources of the Royal Mail and its associated companies were placed unreservedly at the disposal of the nation, and the services rendered by the fleets and organizations of the Royal Mail group need no reiteration from me, but these companies lost by enemy action during that period a large number of vessels, some of which had to be replaced when prices of construction were at a high level.

THE TAKING OVER OF GOVERNMENT-OWNED MERCHANT VESSELS

In 1919 the Treasury asked the late Lord Pirrie to ascertain whether Lord Inchcape, of the P. & O. group, and myself, representing the Royal Mail group, would take over at cost the British merchant ships then owned by the Government, on the basis that we should offer them to all British shipowners on these terms, it being agreed that neither Lord Inchcape nor I, nor any of our companies, would make any commission or profit on the transaction.

With the approval of my co-directors, I joined Lord Inchcape in signing a letter agreeing to this proposal, but the legal advisers to the Government informed Lord Pirrie that, as at that time I was M.P. for Chester, I could not sign this letter without causing a by-election.

Lord Inchcape thereupon very kindly agreed to the letter being torn up, and he signed a similar letter in his own name on the understanding that the Royal Mail group would be responsible for 50 per cent. of the liability.

This arrangement was carried out, and when these vessels were offered to other British shipowners very few were taken by them, and the 50 per cent. which the Royal Mail group had to take consisted of no fewer than 77 vessels, costing over 15 millions sterling.

I have always appreciated the fact that Lord Inchcape, the doyen of British shipowners, accepted my word as my bond.

TRADE FACILITIES LOANS

Having done what the Government desired at such times of national difficulty, we not unnaturally took advantage of the financial facilities which were provided under the Trade Facilities and Loans Guarantee Acts and which the Government were at that time anxious should be availed of as fully as possible in order to relieve unemployment.

The interest on the loans made under these Acts to the Royal Mail Group of Shipping Companies has been regularly paid, and the total instalments of capital paid off (including three Trade Facilities Loans entirely repaid) amount to over £1,700,000.

In October, 1929, we applied to the Treasury and the Government of Northern Ireland for an extension of the dates of repayment of certain short-dated Trade Facilities Loans amounting to £4,500,000 made to three of our Group of Shipping Companies, as the term of these loans, viz., five to seven years, was found to be too short to enable the companies to deal with them in these abnormal times.

The secretary of the Trade Facilities Act Advisory Committee subsequently wrote asking what additional security could be given if the short-term loans were extended, and each of the three Shipping Companies concerned gave the extra security required.

THE AUDITORS' SCHEME

In October, 1929, the Court of Directors instructed Messrs. Price, Waterhouse and Co., our auditors, to make a full report on the position of the various Groups of Shipping Companies. They made a comprehensive and detailed report, which was carefully considered by the directors and shown to the Trade Facilities Committee and the Government of Northern Ireland and to our bankers.

The Court of Directors then requested Messrs. Price, Waterhouse and Co. to prepare a scheme of rationalization of the various shipping companies. This scheme received the careful consideration of the Court of Directors, but, as it was considered that it would take at least six or 12 months to put into effect, it was felt that the matter must be deferred until some definite arrangement had been come to with regard to the extension of the short-dated Trade Facilities Loans to which I have referred.

On May 19, 1930, we called a conference of our bankers and of representatives of the Trade Facilities Act Advisory Committee and the Government of Northern Ireland, when I placed before them full information as to the position of the group.

APPOINTMENT OF A COMMITTEE

A small committee was appointed, which, after going very fully into the whole position, reported to a further meeting of the Conference of Bankers held on June 10, as the result of which a public announcement was, as you know, made to the effect that it had been arranged that this committee, consisting of Mr. F. Hyde (managing director of the Midland Bank Limited), Brigadier-General A. Maxwell (managing partner in Glyn Mills and Co.) and Sir William McLintock, chartered accountant, should confer with the Court of Directors of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company and with the boards of directors of its various subsidiary and allied companies on matters relating to management, administration, and finance, while the chairman of the Trade Facilities Act Advisory Committee (Sir William Plender) will come into consultation with the committee.

In addition, an invitation was extended to the Right Hon. Walter Runciman, M.P., to join the boards of the various shipping companies. (Cheers.)

As announced, this committee will retain office until December 31 next, unless that period is extended. In the meantime, arrangements have been made with the Trade Facilities Act Advisory Committee and the Government of Northern Ireland to continue their facilities, and with the banks and discount houses to continue the financial accommodation they have afforded to the group.

My colleagues and I wish to express cordial appreciation of the friendly and helpful spirit in which the members of the committee have dealt with the position and to assure them of our desire to work in the fullest cooperation with them in regard to all matters upon which it will be necessary to confer together.

In view of the past record of this group of shipping companies, of which our country may justly be proud, I trust that before long the Treasury may see their way to extend these short-dated Trade Facilities Loans for a further period of, say, five years.

THE COURT OF DIRECTORS

We are very glad to welcome the Right Hon. Walter Runciman, M.P., as a director and deputy-chairman of the company.

It was two or three months ago that, with the full approval of my colleagues, I first approached Mr. Runciman with the suggestion that he should join the Court of Directors, but in view of his many great interests it has not unnaturally taken some time for him to think over and consider this suggestion. I am glad and gratified now to report that we are to have the very great advantage and benefit of his great experience of shipping and knowledge of finance.

The Court also appointed Mr. A. B. Cauty and Mr. William Lewis to be directors of the company, and these gentlemen come up for re-election to-day.

GENERAL POSITION

I have endeavoured to set out clearly the position of both the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company and of its associated shipping companies, and I shall be pleased, to the best of my ability, to answer questions which stockholders may desire to ask.

As you all know, the trade of this country and of the world is passing through a very critical and difficult period, which has reacted unfavourably on British shipping.

It is estimated that there are at present 4,500,000 to 5,000,000 tons of shipping laid up in the ports of the world, owing to the fact that there is less cargo to be carried and rates of freight are practically the lowest on record.

This has come about at a time when many of the leading maritime nations other than Great Britain are encouraging their shipowners to increase their fleets and greatly assisting them to do so, thus accentuating world competition.

CONFIDENCE IN THE FUTURE

If I may say so, this fine old company has been very fortunate in having a great many friends who, through all vicissitudes, have stood by us most loyally, and whom, on behalf of the Court of Directors, I desire warmly to thank.

As you know, I have never been a pessimist about British shipping, and, provided we continue to receive the support of our friends, I feel certain that the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company and the group of shipping companies with which it is so closely associated, whose gross profits during the last four difficult years have, as already mentioned, averaged over £5,000,000 sterling per annum, will, sooner than many people anticipate, experience a return of prosperity. (Cheers.)

I now beg to move: "That the report of the directors and the accounts and balance-sheet for the year ended December 31, 1929, submitted to this meeting, be and the same are hereby received and adopted; and that the payment of the dividends on the Preference stocks of the company for the half-year ended June 30, 1929, as shown therein, be and the same is hereby approved."

Mr. A. NEVILE LUBBOCK seconded the resolution.

SHAREHOLDERS' VIEWS AND QUESTIONS

Mr. PENNELL asked what was the total amount of Trade Facilities Loans outstanding, and also which were the three subsidiary companies whose auditors had made qualifications in their reports. He personally had every confidence in the chairman and his colleagues, and believed that they would pull through. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. KEATING asked whether details could be given of the liabilities of the company in respect of uncalled capital on investments, and also the guarantee in connexion with the White Star Line.

Mr. URLING CLARK said that as the scheme of Messrs. Price, Waterhouse and Co. had, he understood, been temporarily pigeon-holed, he would like to know whether, supposing the company arranged its short term indebtedness satisfactorily, anything more would be heard of that scheme.

Mr. HOATH asked what the reserve and insurance funds actually consisted of—whether they were shipping shares, gilt-edged securities, or anything tangible.

Mr. HALFORD said that on a recent visit to the company's head offices it had struck him that they were expensive and extravagant.

Mr. SCOTT said that from time to time he had tried to get more information regarding the company's affairs, and he now wished to compliment the directors on the start they had made in this direction. He felt sure that they would pull the company round, but he did hope that, if necessary, they would be a little more frank in the future. Congratulating the directors on having appointed Mr. Walter Runciman to the board, he said that he felt that they wanted the very best brains of the country to support them in the administration of this world-wide organization.

Mr. THOMAS asked whether it was the intention of the directors to issue any report on the work of the committee which had been appointed.

THE CHAIRMAN'S REPLY

The CHAIRMAN said that a report would be issued as promptly as possible to the stockholders. With regard to the company's new offices, his view, even before the War, had been that it would be a great advantage to have the bulk of the companies in one building. The building stood in the company's books at a very moderate figure—considerably less than it was worth to-day. The three companies referred to by Mr. Pennell were the Pacific Steam Navigation, David MacIver and Co., and Coast Lines, Limited. The amount of the guarantee under the Trade Facilities Acts for R.M.S.P. Meat Transports was £2,550,000, and fell due in September and October next.

As to the point raised by Mr. Urling Clark, now that a committee had been appointed, he did not think that a definite scheme would be put forward for some months. Personally, as most of the stockholders knew, he was in favour of bringing all their interests into one company, and he had been working for that for years. If it had not been for the bad times prevailing, he had hoped that they would be half way through the arrangements for this at the present time. He would like to point out that of the total paid-up capital of £70,000,000 of the companies in the group, about £49,000,000 was owned by the group, so that there was only really £21,000,000 share capital of the whole group. Therefore, it would not be such a big undertaking to get the concern into one company as at one time it had seemed.

The total of the Debentures to-day was £27,500,000, as against a Preference and share capital of £21,000,000, while the reserve funds were over £15,000,000, and the fleet had been written down £6,000,000 more than was necessary. He hoped that a scheme would be put forward anyhow within the next six months. It was true that at the present time the reserve funds were all invested in the business, but although the insurance fund was not available in the form of Government securities, all the ships of the fleet were insured for their book value outside. (Cheers.)

The resolution was then put to the meeting, and carried with five dissentients.

The Duke of Abercorn, K.G., K.P., the Rt. Hon. Sir Leslie Scott, K.C., Mr. Arthur B. Cauty, Mr. William Lewis, and the Rt. Hon. Walter Runciman, M.P., LL.D., were re-elected directors.

Messrs. Price, Waterhouse and Co. were re-appointed auditors.

On the motion of SIR FORTESCUE FLANNERY, a vote of thanks was passed to the chairman, directors, and staff ashore and afloat.

A.W. SECOND STOCK TRUST

POSITION AND PROSPECTS

MR. J. H. CLIFFORD JOHNSTON'S STATEMENT

The FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of A.W. Second Stock Trust, Limited, was held yesterday at Winchester House, London, E.C.

Mr. J. H. CLIFFORD JOHNSTON (the chairman) said:—I regret that to-day I have to tell a tale of disappointed hopes. We started the year with £300,000 in cash and securities of the nominal amount of £3,200,000, of which £600,000 was in Preference shares of a successful company yielding 6½ per cent., and the remainder in companies with their first dividend yet to pay. We hoped by lending out the £300,000 for most of the year at a good rate of interest and towards the end of the year buying up our own Debentures at their present discount we should have been able to squeeze out the full 5 per cent. on the remaining Debentures. To do this would have required the receipt of interest on our £250,000 Vickers-Armstrong "A" Preference, which appeared then to be a certainty, and also the 6 per cent. on either Vickers-Armstrong £1,000,000 "B" Preference or on the Armstrong-Securities £1,000,000 First Preference, both of which appeared at that time to be quite possible.

THE VICKERS-ARMSTRONG HOLDING

So far as the £300,000 cash is concerned, our plan of campaign went very well, and I think I may claim that we have used this money to great advantage; but we suffered a severe disappointment in our Vickers-Armstrong holding, as, so far from receiving a return on our "B" shares, nothing was forthcoming even on our "A" shares, whilst the earnings of the Armstrong-Securities Company were largely offset by losses on their subsidiary companies during the transition period. This latter result, however, was not altogether unexpected; it was, in fact, quite frankly foreshadowed by the management. In the end, therefore, we were able to distribute only 1½ per cent. interest, instead of the hoped-for 5 per cent., and we start our second financial year with 3½ per cent. arrears on our Debenture stock.

The serious and unexpected feature of the report lies in the fact that no dividend has been received on Vickers-Armstrong "A" or "B" Preference shares, and whilst I hope in the coming year the "A" Preference dividend will be paid I fear that, in view of the large arrears on this stock, there is little hope of any return on the "B" Preference for some time to come; and as we hold only £250,000 "A" Preference, against £1,000,000 "B" Preference, our income from this source will probably be very meagre.

To show you the position in detail, I will quote from General Lawrence's speech at the Vickers, Limited, general meeting, in which he stated:—

"One of the most gratifying features of the operations of the past year has been the success achieved by the Vickers-Armstrongs works at Barrow and Elswick. The works in the South at Erith and Dartford have also done well. The total net trading profits for the past year of these works, now controlled by Vickers-Armstrongs, before making provision for the loss of the English Steel Corporation, amounted to approximately £750,000, a result not unsatisfactory having regard to the present conditions of trade."

This profit is in accordance with our original estimates, but, as you will see from the next quotation, the greater part did not accrue to our benefit.

The second quotation reads as follows:—

"As mentioned in the directors' report and accounts for the year ended December 31, there are included therein the trading profits on certain armament and other contracts which, under the terms of the agreement for sale to Vickers-Armstrongs, were retained and completed by your company, and also the profit accrued due on work in progress at December 31, 1927. I wish it to be appreciated that these profits were earned at the works which are now part of the undertaking of Vickers-Armstrongs, and their retention by Vickers has reduced the amount of the profits of Vickers-Armstrongs accordingly."

UNFINISHED CONTRACTS OF VENDOR COMPANIES

Thus you see that the works in question have been largely occupied during the past two years on the unfinished contracts of the vendor companies and have contributed little towards their own Preference interest.

In the light of the poor earnings disclosed for the past two years it is unfortunate that both the "A" and "B" Preference shares were made cumulative from the commencement.

Taking into account the additional capital —approximately £3,400,000—subscribed by Vickers, Limited, since the merger, fully half of which was in cash, the "A" Preference now amounts in round figures to £5,650,000, of which only £250,000 belongs to us, whilst £5,400,000 belongs to them. The accumulation of interest, including the current year, will amount to £1,186,500, of which only £52,500 will be due to us. On the other hand, the Armstrong group hold more Six per Cent. Preference than Vickers, and, later on, formidable arrears in our favour will have accumulated by the time the "A" Preference arrears have been liquidated—but that is a matter for the future, and now is the time we are in need of profits. Whether it will be possible in any way to mitigate this situation remains to be proved. I will make two more quotations from General Lawrence's speech to complete the picture.

(1) "The proposals for naval disarmament, if successful, may naturally have an adverse effect on the trading results of Vickers-Armstrongs should any material reduction in armaments result."

(2) "I am not pessimistic as to the future, but I warn you that a difficult period is ahead of us."

To these quotations I will add that, from what I can gather, I believe for the next three or four years we must be content with very small profits from Vickers-Armstrongs, but after that time the company may do very well and enter on a period of prosperity which may compensate us for our present disappointment.

THE ORIGINAL AMALGAMATION AGREEMENT

Before I leave the subject of Vickers-Armstrongs I want to call attention to certain clauses in the original agreement for amalgamation, and I quote the following:—

Clause 8 (c). "No sum shall be appropriated out of trading profits to General Reserve Fund until the dividends on the 'A' and 'B' Preference shares shall all have been paid in full."

Clause 8 (e). "In calculating profits depreciation shall be charged at the rates allowed by the Inland Revenue Authorities unless the Board of the New Company and its Auditors are of opinion that additional depreciation should be provided."

Clause 25 (b). "Provided that notwithstanding anything in the Agreement contained the New Company shall not be liable in respect of any contract tender or engagement for any claim matter or thing which has arisen or may arise or be made in respect of the period prior to the 1st January 1928."

If you look at their profit and loss account, a copy of which we sent to you, you will find that the balance left of the £750,000 earned at the works, after deducting the profit on old contracts due to Vickers, the £150,000 Turkish payment and losses in the English Steel Corporation and other subsidiary companies, amounts to £135,134, which, adding the balance brought forward from 1928, shows a sum of £199,899 available for distribution under clause 8 (c). Of this an additional £105,000 is charged to depreciation through a renewal fund, and £53,000 is written off patent rights, the balance, £42,000, being carried forward. This additional depreciation or renewal fund I have ascertained is certified to by the auditors, and so probably comes under clause 8 (e); but the £53,000 does not appear to be in accordance with the agreement, however desirable it may appear to be from a practical business point of view, and the carry forward is in the nature of a general reserve. So much for Vickers-Armstrongs.

ARMSTRONG SECURITIES COMPANY

Let us turn now to our other big investment —our holdings in Armstrong Securities Company. This investment, in spite of the lack of revenue received this year, is more hopeful. In this company we had a very strong balance-sheet on December 31, 1929, and a weak profit and loss account. The company appears to be making excellent progress in its shipbuilding business on certain specialized lines, and should make good profits this year. I am, however, more than a little anxious as to whether, in its efforts to improve its profit and loss

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account, it is not in danger of weakening its balance-sheet position. In view of our large interest in this company and the fact that the policy adopted from time to time is vital to the welfare of our own company, we recently approached the board with the request that our interests should be represented on the directorate, and I am glad to be able to inform you that our request was cordially received and we are now kept in direct touch with the working of this company by representation on the board.

I do not wish to detain you, but before I finish I expect you will like me to sum up the prospect for the current year as it appears to me.

I anticipate—speaking with all reserve—that we shall receive the full £39,000 dividend on our £600,000 Armstrong Siddeley Development Company Six-and-a-Half per Cent. Preference shares—this company I believe is doing good business. I also anticipate we shall this year receive £60,000 on our Armstrong Securities Company Six per Cent. First Preference, and probably one year's dividend—say, £17,500—on our £250,000 Vickers-Armstrong "A" Preference—altogether £116,500; and taking our outstanding Debenture debt at £2,250,000, this would enable us to pay off the 3½ per cent. arrears and leave some £43,000 over—nearly 2 per cent.—to meet the current year's interest. In addition, there might possibly be some payment of arrears of the Vickers-Armstrong "A" Preference and also some interest forthcoming on our £350,000 Four per Cent. Second Preference in Armstrong Securities Company.

This, then, is the position as I see it to-day—by no means a satisfactory one, even if my forecast be fulfilled, which is quite uncertain; but I am not without hope that we may improve the situation by negotiation on various points necessitating perhaps in effect some modification of the Scheme of Arrangement.

The report and accounts were unanimously adopted.

WITAN INVESTMENT CO.

DIVIDEND MAINTAINED AND RESERVES INCREASED

REVENUE AND CAPITAL VALUES OF SECURITIES

MR. H. W. HENDERSON'S ADDRESS

The TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Witan Investment Company, Limited, was held yesterday at 28, Austin Friars, London, E.C.

Mr. H. W. HENDERSON (chairman of the company) presided.

The SECRETARY (Mr. D. C. Cooke) read the notice convening the meeting and the report of the auditors.

The CHAIRMAN said:—Gentlemen,—The report and accounts having been in your hands for several days, I presume you will take them as read. (Agreed.)

As you will see, there are this year some small alterations in the form of the accounts which have been made to comply with the new Companies Act, 1929. We have set out separately our interests in two companies in which our holdings exceed 50 per cent. of the total capital. Both these investments stand in our books at moderate prices.

The accounts are, as usual, so clear and simple that they require very little explanation from me. The figures we have to submit are again quite satisfactory.

The company's revenue for the past year, before deduction of income-tax, amounted to £299,886 1s. 1d., from which has to be deducted £5,967 12s. 7d. for administration and general expenses, and £59,874 17s. 4d. for income-tax, leaving a balance of net income of £234,043 11s. 2d., which, together with the sum of £21,840 16s. 1d. brought forward from last year, gives a total of £255,884 7s. 3d.

After deducting from this figure the dividends upon the 4½ per Cent. Preference stock and 10 per cent. paid upon the Ordinary stock, both less tax, there remains a balance of £90,004 7s. 3d., of which £65,000 has been transferred to the reserve account, as against £60,000 last year, raising that fund to £380,000, leaving £25,004 7s. 3d. to be carried forward against £21,840 16s. 1d. brought in.

AN EMINENTLY SATISFACTORY RESULT.

When addressing you last year, I said that I thought we might be well content if our income was maintained, and I am pleased that it shows a small increase, which has enabled us to further strengthen our position by adding £65,000 to our reserve account, against £60,000 last year, and by slightly increasing our carry forward, which may be regarded as eminently satisfactory. We must, however, expect our income for the current year to be somewhat less than for the year under review.

With regard to the capital values of our securities on April 15, we have again taken the middle prices on that date for the quoted securities, which amount to 95 per cent. of the whole, and a conservative value has been placed upon our unquoted assets. The valuation shows an excess of well over £1,400,000 on the book value of £3,221,371. This is about £100,000 less than the excess shown last year, but as I have emphasized on previous occasions, too much importance must not be attached to the ebb and flow of capital values in a strictly investment trust such as ours, but it is nevertheless very satisfactory to have a small increase in our revenue and only a small decrease of about 2 per cent. in the capital value of our securities, which at the date of our balance-sheet were worth over £4,600,000.

A DIFFICULT YEAR

The past year has been one of much difficulty for all investment trusts. More events of a disturbing character have occurred than usual, but these have recently been so fully discussed at meetings of companies similar to ours that I do not consider any good purpose would be served by going into them at any length. We have had no less than eight changes in the Bank rate. The liquidation of a group of London companies in which we were in no way interested caused considerable dislocation in stock markets here. In America the enormous inflation of values culminated in a collapse of incomparable greatness. At home our basic industries are using every endeavour to adjust themselves to the changed world conditions, and there has been a marked decline in wholesale prices of commodities which has not yet reached the consumer. Argentina, in which we have very numerous interests, has suffered severely from a failure of the wheat and linseed harvests owing to drought. The weather conditions are now, I believe, satisfactory, so that we may reasonably hope that that great country will quickly recover, and that present difficulties there may be looked upon as a temporary episode only.

In spite of all these somewhat difficult conditions, I feel we may congratulate ourselves that we can continue to put figures before you of so satisfactory a nature. Our dividend of 10 per cent. is maintained, and our reserves continue to grow. The present figure of £380,000 is substantial, and is being year by year increased. Our securities number 470.

CLASSIFICATION OF THE INVESTMENTS

The classifications of the company's investments are given in the report which you have all received, and I need not repeat them now, but you will be interested to know that they are represented as to 51.92 per cent. by Bonds, Debentures, and Debenture stocks; 23.55 per cent. by Guaranteed and Preference stocks and shares; and 24.53 per cent. by Ordinary stocks and shares. The corresponding figures last year were 50.17 per cent., 23.57 per cent., and 26.26 per cent. respectively.

The geographical distribution is as follows: —Great Britain, 40.42 per cent.; British Dominions and Dependencies, 13.27 per cent.; Argentina, 17.24 per cent.; Brazil, 5.84 per cent.; Uruguay, 5.20 per cent.; other South American countries, 2.56 per cent.; Continental Europe, 11.92 per cent.; and other countries, 3.55 per cent.

With these few remarks I beg to propose:—"That the directors' report and accounts now submitted be received and adopted."

Mr. H. A. VERNET seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

The CHAIRMAN next proposed:—"That the dividend for the current year on the company's Ordinary stock shall be at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, less tax, payable quarterly on July 15, 1930, October 15, 1930, January 15, 1931, and April 15, 1931."

Mr. E. GORE BROWNE, D.S.O., seconded, and the resolution was unanimously adopted.

The retiring directors, Mr. H. W. Henderson and the Hon. A. P. Henderson, were re-elected. The auditors, Messrs. Deloitte, Plender, Griffiths and Co., were reappointed.

SONS OF GWALIA, LTD.

GRAVE DISABILITIES IMPOSED BY THE LABOUR UNIONS

SINKING OF MAIN SHAFT SUSPENDED

TRIBUTE TO WEST AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT

The THIRTY-THIRD ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Sons of Gwalia, Limited, was held yesterday at No. 20, Copthall-avenue, London, E.C.

Mr. C. ALGERNON MOREING (the chairman of the company) presided.

The CHAIRMAN, in moving the adoption of the report and accounts, said:—Gentlemen,—From the balance-sheet and profit and loss account you will see that the position has somewhat improved as compared with that of the preceding year, the respective deficits on the profit and loss accounts being for the year 1928 £4,341 6s. 2d., and for 1929 £2,678 7s. 3d. This improvement, however, is small and by no means comparable to that which should have been made but for the irreconcilable attitude of the labour unions with regard to underground working conditions. On this I shall have more to say later. In 1929 we mined 118,328 tons of ore for an expenditure of £80,434 12s. 11d., as compared with 121,058 tons for an expenditure of £80,269 19s. in 1928, and for the same two years the expenditure on ore treatment stands at £32,363 12s. 5d. and £33,329 0s. 1d., and on the retreatment of sands and slimes at £7,744 2s. 7d. and £7,578 7s. 4d. Generally speaking, the different items in the 1929 profit and loss account closely correspond to those for the 1928 period.

UNDERGROUND DEVELOPMENT

As you are aware the development of the mine has been a matter of great urgency, more particularly in the deeper ground where the better values occur. In 1928 the developments totalled 4,841ft., and in the year under review 5,210ft., which total was made up as follows:—

Shaft sinking	59	feet
Driving	1,854	"
Crosscutting	1,022	"
Rising	847	"
Winzing	1,428	"
Total	5,210	"

One of the most important items demanding attention has been the sinking of the main shaft. You will remember that, prior to resumption of sinking this shaft below No. 25 level, a large amount of winzing was carried to depths of over 150ft. below that level, which work indicated that the ore bodies lived strongly and maintained their values well at that depth. It was obvious that this work should be pushed ahead vigorously, nevertheless the arbitrary action of the unions in pressing for the absurdly low wet bulb temperature limit of 76deg. F. necessitated this work being done in six-hour instead of eight-hour shifts. The work has therefore been very slow and exceedingly expensive. These conditions were found to be so unsatisfactory that we had to suspend further sinking until more reasonable working conditions are secured. The total extension of the main shaft was therefore only 59ft., and its present total length is 4,050ft., the sum pbeing 201ft. below No. 25 level, which is insufficient for the normal distance of lift between Nos. 25 and 26 levels and liberal sump room for the storage of water.

IMPROVEMENTS AT DEPTH

The developments of 1929 are viewed with satisfaction in that they fully confirm the results from the preceding year's work. With regard to the deepest section of the mine the work done under the No. 25 level in 1928 was ample to warrant the sinking of the shaft. Three additional winzes were commenced in good ore confirmatory of the work in the preceding year. The No. 25 level Main South Drive on the Western Branch continues in a settled orebody of excellent appearance, and stripping operations which are following the driving of the level show payable ore over a width of 12ft.

The third development to which I referred last year was that at the No. 21 level in about the line of the probable downward continuation of the old rich South Gwalia shoot which was cut off at the levels above. Since that work was done a crosscut was put out at No. 22 level, where an improvement occurred in that the high values were maintained for a length of 73ft. Stripping of the drive shows an average value of 40s. over a width of 12ft. Since the end of the year 1929 a crosscut was put out at No. 23 level, and again intersected high values which are being driven on, and recently a crosscut has been put out still deeper, at the No. 24 level, and we have reason for believing that this shoot will be again located there. It appears, therefore, that the narrow apex of this new shoot occurred at No. 21 level, and that with increasing depth it is gradually increasing in length and carrying high values. In its general features, position and values, this shoot very closely resembles the old South Gwalia shoot, and the work done in 1929 confirms the opinion formerly expressed to that effect.

Further developments in the oxidised zone have disclosed good values for short lengths, but the general average value of the oxidised reserves is on the low side, and this work has been done mainly to provide milling ore pending the opening up of the deeper sulphide reserves, which are steadily increasing in tonnage and maintaining a satisfactory value. We may therefore view with satisfaction the general results of the developments of the past year and the preceding one in that the work in the bottom levels gives every indication of persistence in depth of good values and that this work is well supported by that on the line of continuation of the South Gwalia shoot. Further, the work of the current year has so far disclosed nothing to cause us to modify these opinions.

VENTILATION

During 1929 the staff have given much attention to the matter of ventilation, particularly with the object of further improving the conditions in the lower levels. Airways were enlarged, fresh airways were made, and the direction of the current was reversed and the current was assisted by a fan at the No. 24 level. Although this work did not materially increase the total quantity of air circulating, the continuous efforts of the staff have improved the conditions, which generally are excellent. It is only in certain of the deepest portions of the mine, where connexions have not been completed, that the maximum wet bulb temperatures very slightly exceed the arbitrary and exceptionally low limit of 76deg. F. as fixed by the arbitration award. We know of no other mining country where such hindrances are deliberately placed in the way of mine development. The consensus of opinion of competent engineers is that a reasonable general limit would be 80deg. F., and for bottom development ends, where conditions are generally a little warmer 82deg. F.

As our actual wet bulb temperatures in the bottom levels generally run from 77deg. to 79deg., you will understand how unreasonable is the attitude of the Workers' Union, the more so as the mine has a very clean bill of health. We have been pressing for some time for the revision of the award on more reasonable lines, but the hearing has been deferred for one reason and another. The last postponement was made with the object of appointing an investigator to inquire into the financial position of the mining companies, which seems merely a pretext for further delay and in no way relevant to the issue. The latest advice is to the effect that the preliminary hearing took place last month, and after hearing technical evidence an adjournment was granted. It appears that the unions still are intent on doing everything possible to hamper our operations.

UNREASONABLE ATTITUDE OF LABOUR

In my opening remarks I touched on the results of the year's operations and said that the small improvement shown was by no means comparable with that which should have been made but for the irreconcilable attitude of the labour unions with regard to underground temperature limits. The restrictions enforced thereby have very seriously delayed the opening up of the sulphide ore in the deeper levels and the completion of the filling arrangements for the deeper sulphide stopes. This has been strongly reflected in the small tonnage of sulphide ore mined in 1929. Of the total of 118,328 tons raised only 43,006 tons were sulphide ore, while 74,121 were oxidised ore, the respective values being 29s. 7d. and 18s. 6d. per ton. It is to the richer sulphide ore that we look for profit, and the greatest difficulty was experienced in mining sufficient of this ore to maintain a payable grade. The position is somewhat better now that better filling facilities are available; nevertheless, until the disabilities accruing from the unjust temperature restrictions are removed the mine cannot be worked to the proper advantage.

During the year the average grade of the ore treated was 22.72s., and the average value of the residue was 2.35s., and the average extraction was 89.7 per cent. as compared with 89.3 per cent. for the preceding year. The large proportion of oxidised ore treated has again increased the amount of slime to be handled by the vacuum filters, which is responsible for the somewhat low recovery which under normal conditions should average about 92 per cent. It is to be remembered that the treatment plant was designed primarily for the treatment of sulphide ore with only a relatively small admixture of the more slimy oxidised ore, and that for the past two years it has been operating on a very much larger proportion of oxidised ore than should have been the case had the normal routine not been very seriously upset through the ill-advised action of the unions.

INSTALLATION OF WASTE HEAT RECUPERATORS

The expenditure for the year on equipment and machinery was relatively small, and was confined mainly to the completion of the installation for the recuperation of the waste heat from the exhaust of the gas engines. Three waste heat recuperators were installed and are giving satisfactory service. Tests under ordinary working conditions give a total recovery from the three recuperators of 2,208lb. steam per hour at a pressure of 105lb. per square inch, corresponding to a saving of approximately 50 tons of fuel (firewood) per month. These results fully confirm the prediction I made a year ago, that the internal combustion engine as modified for wood-gas and supplemented by waste heat recuperators provides one of the most economical power units of modern times, particularly for a mine such as yours, situated far from the coast and coal-fields, and where the water available is scant in quantity and poor in quality.

Throughout my address to you I have stressed the very grave disabilities that have been imposed by the labour unions which have prevented our bringing the mine once more to the profit earning stage, but in contra-distinction to the obstructive tactics of the unions it is a great pleasure to me to be able to take this opportunity of recording my appreciation of the unfailing sympathy and assistance we have received from the Government and of the courtesy of the officials of the Mines Department to our staff. The sympathy of the Government has been and is of a very practical nature and without it the mine would now have been closed down. As it is, the position is slowly improving and should reasonable working facilities be accepted by the labour unions I see no reason why the corner should not be turned, but if the unions continue their present policy it is almost inevitable that operations cannot be continued, and what might be a source of employment for many years must soon be derelict and a lasting monument to the tyranny and ineptitude of union leaders.

Mr. E. A. LORING seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

The retiring director (Mr. E. A. Loring) was re-elected and the auditors (Messrs. Monkhouse, Stoneham and Co.) were reappointed.

The proceedings then terminated.

CHARRINGTON, GARDNER, LOCKET & COMPANY

COAL DISTRIBUTORS' POSITION

MR. JOHN CHARRINGTON'S STATEMENT

The TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Charrington, Gardner, Locket and Co., Limited, was held yesterday at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, London, E.C.

Mr. JOHN CHARRINGTON (the chairman) presided.

The SECRETARY (Mr. S. N. Horne) having read the notice convening the meeting and the report of the auditors,

The CHAIRMAN said:—Gentlemen,—It will, I think, be the desire of the shareholders, especially in view of criticisms of middlemen's profits in the coal trade, that the position of this company should be made clear.

The distribution of coal, which is but a part of our business, is a necessity to the consumer. Our organization, our plant, and our labour are as essential to the users, both large and small, of coal in the London area as are the organization, plant, and labour of the coal producers, and some system similar to ours would be necessary if the producers were to set up as merchants.

We handle very large quantities of coal. Indeed if our entire dividend were earned on the coal handled by us it would represent only a few pence per ton on our turnover. But actually a considerable portion of that dividend is derived from other branches of our business, some of which are entirely independent of our coal trade.

THE COMPANY'S VARIED ACTIVITIES

We are steamship owners, and in the happy position of being able to guarantee constant employment to our ships in our own trade. We have, therefore, never to face, as so many steamship owners not so situated are now facing, the necessity of laying up our steamers through lack of employment.

We are barge owners, having both river barges and canal barges. In fact we are one of the largest owners of canal barges in London. We have the tugs and repairing yards necessary to deal with them. Approximately 50 per cent. of the lighterage and towage done by us has no connexion whatever with our own business in coal. For instance, we often have as many as 100 barges occupied with timber alone.

We own a half interest in one of the most modern coal-discharging plants on the Thames, which deals with very large quantities of coal, quite apart from our own shipments. We are wharfingers—and coal represents but a small percentage of our activities as such.

For use in our wholesale and retail coal trade we own railway trucks, which we keep in constant use, and we have our own repair shops, giving special attention to the upkeep of our trucks. For our retail coal trade we also own much mechanical transport, both steam and petrol wagons, besides vans and horses for the smaller deliveries. We have in the London area 55 depôts and order offices.

These details will give you some idea of the various activities of our business; and I hope you will not be under the impression that anything but a small proportion of your dividends has been earned at the expense of the householder.

A CONSERVATIVE CAPITALIZATION

Finally, a word or two as to the basis of our capitalization. Our nominal capital is £212,000, all in Ordinary shares and all issued. There is no goodwill item in the balance-sheet. As to our steamers, barges, railway trucks, steam and petrol wagons and plant generally, our consistent policy over a very long period of years has been to write off depreciation on a liberal scale, and, as a result, the values now shown in our books and on our balance-sheet are much under the real values.

Had we, when we became a public company some 15 months since, followed what is, I believe, a usual practice, and sold our old private business to a new company, the capital of this would have had to be at least twice the present amount. We decided, however, to make no alteration in the old and conservative capitalization, with the result that the nominal amount of our capital in no way reflects the actual value of our business and assets.

COAL TRADE LEGISLATION

The whole question of the coal trade, both on its productive and on its distributive sides, is a very important one at the present time. The Coal Mines Bill will shortly be placed upon the Statute-book, while the Consumers' Council Bill, now before Parliament, will, if passed in its present form, confer powers on an outside authority to make searching inquiry into the prices at which coal is retailed. I should like to emphasize that our desire is to assist to the utmost of our powers in furthering any proposals that will lead to improving the work of this great national trade, so that, without detriment to the interests of the consumers and public, whom it is our duty to

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serve, the productive side may be restored to a condition of prosperity for the benefit of the industry as a whole.

The report and accounts were adopted.

Mr. James Russell Kelly and Mr. T. Barclay Gow were re-elected as directors, and the auditors, Messrs. Fidgeon, Jackson and Co., were reappointed, and a vote of thanks to the chairman and directors terminated the proceedings.

TOCUYO OILFIELDS OF VENEZUELA

RAPID DEVELOPMENT WORK

FIRST SHIPMENT OF OIL

PROGRESS OF THE LIGHT RAILWAY

MR. F. R. PHILLIPS'S SPEECH

The FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Tocuyo Oilfields of Venezuela, Limited, was held yesterday at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, London, E.C.

Mr. F. R. PHILLIPS, M.C., who presided, said:—Ladies and gentlemen,—I regret that our Chairman, Sir Evelyn Wallers, is unable to preside at this meeting. He recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, but I am glad to say that he is making satisfactory progress. (Hear, hear.) My colleagues have asked me to preside in his absence, and with your permission I will do so. (Hear, hear.) I will now ask the secretary to read the notice convening the meeting.

The SECRETARY (Mr. H. S. Fuller) read the notice convening the meeting and the report of the auditors.

The CHAIRMAN:—As the directors' report and the balance-sheet have been in your hands for some days, I propose, with your approval, to take them as read. (Agreed.)

This company was incorporated on October 10, 1928, and the statutory meeting was held on January 23, 1929. The report and accounts now presented cover the period from October 10, 1928, to December 31, 1929. The company's financial year will in future coincide with the calendar year, and the general meetings will take place as soon as the arrival of the audited accounts from Venezuela will allow, probably during May.

THE CONCESSION

As you will remember, the concession owned by this company consists of Government oil rights over approximately 85,600 acres in the State of Falcon, Venezuela, which were acquired from the North Venezuelan Petroleum Company, Limited. The transfer of these oil rights has been duly recognized by the Venezuelan Government. The consideration paid was £1,000,000, and was satisfied by the allotment of 500,000 fully-paid shares of £1 each and the payment of £500,000 in cash. As you will see from the credit side of the balance-sheet, this purchase price has been allocated as to £950,575 over various items on the "Property Account"; the balance of £49,425 represented the value of stores and stocks of oil which were taken over from the vendor company.

Expenditure on "Capital Account" amounted to £296,095, and the balance-sheet shows the various headings under which this expenditure has been incurred. The cost of drilling was £98,135, and forms part of the item of £176,482 representing expenditure on wells, reservoirs, pipe lines, buildings, &c. Preliminary expenses amounted to £36,252, the cost of underwriting commission and fee and brokerage was £70,168, while stores at cost, including transport charges, amount to £119,878.

On the debit side of the balance-sheet the only item calling for comment is sundry creditors at £16,653. This amount is made up of various trade accounts unpaid at December 31, and staff deposits and savings accounts.

The available cash resources at December 31, 1929, after allowing for the difference between sundry debtors and creditors, and for bills payable, being drafts drawn in Venezuela but not yet presented at that date, amounted to £520,877. Income and expenditure account shows on the credit side £40,505 being interest earned and transfer and other fees. On the debit side the amount of £34,352 represents general and working expenditure, less sundry credits, £6,672 head office expenditure as detailed, and £3,010 directors' fees. The debit balance of £3,529 is carried to the balance-sheet.

DIFFICULTIES OVERCOME

I will now deal briefly with the progress of development and construction work in Venezuela. Only those who have had experience of work of this nature can fully appreciate the enormous difficulties to be overcome in the opening up of a new oilfield situated in a tropical country, where the area to be developed is covered with dense jungle, is isolated, and is sparsely populated. Forests have to be cleared, roads constructed, houses, stores, machine shops, and offices built, adequate water supply secured, and proper medical and sanitary conditions provided. Moreover, the selection of a suitable staff of men at the outset, capable of living and carrying on work under the arduous and trying conditions that prevail, is a matter of the utmost importance.

All this has been done since the company was incorporated in October, 1928. (Hear, hear.) In addition, a 6in. pipeline, approximately 33 kilometres in length from El Mene to Chichiriviche, has been laid, while the necessary storage tanks, both on the fields and at the coast, have been erected, and the construction of an oil-loading terminal, where large ocean-going vessels can conveniently and safely load under all conditions of tide and weather, is progressing.

At the same time, considerable advance has been made in the building of a 3ft. gauge light railway, some 36 kilometres in length, from the fields to Chichiriviche, and it is expected to complete this line, which necessitates the construction of a 260ft. bridge over the Tocuyo River, by the end of the year. This railway will enable transport to be satisfactorily maintained throughout the year, and greatly reduce the heavy cost which has been, and still is being, incurred in getting material, stores, and food from the coast to the fields.

DRILLING OPERATIONS

I am sure you will agree that this record of progress in the comparatively short space of 20 months is most satisfactory. While all this extensive construction programme was being carried out, drilling operations were at the same time proceeding. The footage drilled from October 10, 1928, to December 31, 1929, was 24,313ft., and since then a further 14,317ft. have been sunk. A considerable amount of this drilling work was of an exploratory nature and for the purpose of ascertaining the formation of the various underground structures. The existence of oil in commercial quantities has been established in 17 wells, and I am pleased to say that the high-grade character of the oil first encountered has been maintained. It was necessary, until the means of transporting the oil had been provided, to restrict production to the amount required for field work. Thus the production of 5,300 tons which was obtained up to December 31 last does not reflect in any way the quantity that may be expected from the wells so far drilled and which are now being cleaned out and brought into regular production. In the future efforts will be made not only to increase production, but also to extend the oil reserves.

I am pleased to inform you that the first shipment of oil, consisting of 5,087 tons, was made from the port of Chichiriviche on June 8. (Cheers.) Our associates, Trinidad Leaseholds, Limited, have agreed, temporarily, to refine and market the crude oil on a mutually satisfactory profit-sharing basis.

DETAILED EXAMINATION OF THE CONCESSION

In order to obtain as quickly as possible the necessary information regarding underground conditions and the location of oil-bearing strata a detailed geophysical examination of the concession is being carried out simultaneously with other geological researches. By these methods it is hoped to reduce considerably the amount of exploratory drilling that would otherwise be necessary to secure this information. If drilling can be concentrated on areas which these scientific methods of examination have indicated as being probably oil-bearing, expenditure is reduced and a larger output of oil secured in a shorter period.

Progress is entirely dependent on the results of future drilling, and every method that technical science and skill have shown to be effective in conducing to success is being adopted. In addition to a highly qualified geological staff, the geophysical work is being conducted under the personal supervision of an eminent British geophysicist who has had remarkable success in this sphere of work.

A REMARKABLE ACHIEVEMENT

At the beginning of this year I paid a short visit to the fields and was very favourably impressed with the manner in which the various difficulties, to which I have already alluded, have been met and overcome. The operations in Venezuela were for the first seven months controlled by the North Venezuelan Petroleum Company, Limited, under the management of Mr. P. M. Newhall, and since then they have been in charge of Mr. W. P. Cowen, to both of whom the board desire to express their sincere thanks and appreciation for the very able manner in which the development work has been expedited. (Cheers.) It is a remarkable achievement to have brought the company to the stage of shipping oil in such a comparatively short period, especially when the natural difficulties of climate and tropical conditions are taken into account. Mr. Cowen has been assisted by an able and willing staff, to whom the company are also indebted for the results obtained to date. I am sure, therefore, that all shareholders will wish to associate themselves with my remarks in this connexion, and pass a vote of thanks to Messrs. Newhall and Cowen, and to their respective staffs, for the excellent work done by them since the commencement of operations. (Hear, hear.)

Before closing my remarks I wish to thank the North Venezuelan Petroleum Company, Limited, for the assistance it has rendered to us. There are various directions in which the two companies can advantageously work together to their mutual benefit, and I am pleased to state that excellent relations exist between them.

In accordance with the company's articles of association, Mr. H. C. Boyd, Señor Don Lorenzo Mercado, and Mr. W. M. G. Young retire from the board, and I shall have the pleasure presently of proposing their re-election.

I now beg to move:—"That the directors' report and balance-sheet as submitted to this meeting be received and adopted."

I will ask Mr. Beaumont to second the motion, but before putting it to the meeting I shall be pleased to answer any questions.

Mr. R. BEAUMONT, managing director, seconded the resolution, which was unanimously adopted.

The CHAIRMAN moved the re-election of Mr. H. C. Boyd, Señor Don Lorenzo Mercado, and Mr. W. M. G. Young, the retiring directors.

SIR R. SOTHERN HOLLAND, Bt., seconded the motion, and it was unanimously adopted.

The auditors, Messrs Cooper Brothers and Co., were reappointed, and a cordial vote of thanks to the chairman having been carried with acclamation the proceedings terminated.

HOVIS, LIMITED

ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL YEAR

The ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Hovis, Limited, was held yesterday at Denison House, Vauxhall Bridge-road, Westminster.

Mr. A. H. DENCE (the chairman), in the course of his speech, said:—Since last we met, we in this country have passed through long months of almost unprecedented slackness and depression in trade and finance generally, but in this sad and cheerless time I am happy to be able to tell you that Hovis has been one of the few bright spots amid the general gloom. The report that we offer for your consideration and adoption to-day is one with which I feel sure you will be pleased, and which proves that we have faced all our difficulties with undaunted optimism and have steered our business through both successfully and profitably.

Our accounts this year are in a slightly different form from that hitherto followed. This is due to the coming into operation of the new Companies Act, 1929, to which, of course, we have to adhere. If you will turn to the balance-sheet you will see that there appears on the credit side the item "Goodwill, £145,208 8s. 5d." This is only an arbitrary figure arrived at by taking the figures in the conveyance of the landed properties, &c., bought by the company at its inception, and leaving all the permanent advertising matter, trade marks, &c., under the heading of "Goodwill." I want to make it clear at once that this item is covered by a similar amount which has been included under contingency reserves. It has been customary at annual meetings to question and criticize the value placed upon "goodwill," and too often it is assumed that "goodwill" is a very illusionary and intangible asset. So far as Hovis is concerned, I want to say very emphatically that the directors consider "goodwill" to be a very real asset. The trade mark "Hovis," is a most valuable monopoly, and when used as it is in connexion with bread, it represents a "goodwill" that has been built up by vast labour and expense during many years, and this being the case we, your directors, are not for a moment inclined to discount in the slightest degree the value of our "goodwill," which we consider to be far beyond the sum as estimated in the balance-sheet.

The matter which will interest you more than any other is the balance of profit and loss account, which is the largest we have had, and, taking into consideration the difficult times we have gone through, will, I am sure, meet with your approval.

ADDITIONS TO OUTPUT

Among the new steps which we have embarked upon during the past year is that of providing Hovis in Paris, where there has been quite a useful start made. Another important addition to our output for Hovis should be the arrangements we have entered into with Messrs. Rowntree and their subsidiary companies to place biscuits made with Hovis flour in various forms on the market. This has been made possible by making a special flour for that purpose, ordinary Hovis flour not being of a suitable character to ensure good flavour in the biscuits; but I think you can be assured after the extensive tests that have been made that the quality and flavour of the biscuits, which I hope all who listen to this address will purchase in the near future, will give satisfaction in every way, and, what is of great importance, the analytical and physiological results of the tests made with these biscuits prove them to be food of a very high value.

DIVIDEND AND BONUS

The board recommend a final dividend of 5 per cent., which, with that paid on December 1 last, makes 10 per cent. for the year, together with a bonus of 5 per cent., making 15 per cent. for the year. This is the third year in succession that we have been able to pay this very handsome return. I sincerely hope it will be maintained in the future. Some shareholders think we might afford to pay a little bit more than we do. I can assure the shareholders that we shall not shrink from carrying out our duty and conserve the liquid assets of this concern, as it is by being conservative that we have been enabled to purchase at the right time and keep our properties up to date. I feel there is a great responsibility attached to those who are not conservative with their finances; we want to go on building up and building up on the excellent foundation we have.

The report was unanimously adopted.

PORTUGUESE DEBT SERVICES

WAR INSTALMENT

LISBON, June 18.—The Ministry of Finance announces that £175,000 has been made over to the British Treasury as the instalment for the present half-year of the Portuguese War Debt to Great Britain.

The Ministry also states that £200,000 has been placed with the country's banker abroad to the account of the Committee of Public Credit, and will be used for payment of the foreign debt charges due on July 1.

Orders have been given for the establishment with the Bank for International Settlements of a permanent deposit of £42,000, equivalent to 862,500 German Reichsmarks, the amount which Portugal is required to provide under the Young Plan as a creditor Power.—*Reuter*.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES

SYDNEY, June 18.—At to-day's wool sale the offerings totalled 10,459 bales, of which 8,417 were sold; wool sold privately consisted of 601 bales. There was an average selection. Good and general competition was encountered by all the better descriptions of fleece wool and skirtings, while the market was irregular and slightly lower for irregular fleece and unskirted wools. Continental and Japanese buyers were the chief operators, with some support from Yorkshire and America. Greasy merino fetched up to 19d., comeback 14d., and crossbred 12¼d.—*Reuter*.

FORSTER'S GLASS COMPANY

RECORD SALES

IMPROVED EFFICIENCY IN THE PLANT

The ELEVENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of Forster's Glass Company, Limited, was held yesterday at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, London, E.C.

SIR SYDNEY H. H. HENN, K.B.E. (the chairman of the company), presided.

The SECRETARY (Mr. Neil Bruce, F.I.S.A.) having read the notice convening the meeting and the report of the auditors,

The CHAIRMAN said:—Gentlemen,—May I assume that I have your permission to take as read the report and accounts, which were printed and distributed some days ago to every shareholder? (Agreed.)

YEAR'S RESULTS AND TRADING CONDITIONS

The accounts now submitted for your consideration have been set out as clearly and simply as possible, and should not call for much explanation. The net profit of £42,589 14s. 2d. has been arrived at after providing for all charges and for depreciation amounting to £17,015 12s. 5d. This figure has been estimated on an ample scale and is in excess of the rates suggested by Sir Gilbert Garnsey in the recommendations he made two years ago. I might also explain here that no less a sum than £32,206 11s. 6d. expended during the year on maintenance and repairs to the tanks and subsidiary plant has been charged to revenue.

Conditions during the year under review were far from favourable, for competition in the trade continues to be severe and the cutting of prices has led to a progressive decline in the average selling value of our manufactured ware. The favourable results we have been able to show are due entirely to increase in turnover and to improved efficiency in our plant. As regards the former, I may tell you that our sales were a record in the history of the company, and I shall have something to say about the latter later on.

BALANCE-SHEET FIGURES

Coming now to the balance-sheet, you will notice that the Second Mortgage Debenture for £20,000, sanctioned last year, has been issued, and the special plant for which it was provided was completed and set in operation before the end of our accounting year, but not in time to affect its profits. The results obtained with the plant during the past two months justify us in assuring you that the expenditure was well conceived, and we should have no difficulty in repaying the loan within the short period of two years fixed for its redemption. Our bank overdraft has been reduced from £52,000 to £29,000 and will, we hope, stand at a still lower figure when next we meet you. The moderate increase in sundry creditors is due to capital expenditure on the new plant as well as increased purchases of materials due to our larger productive capacity. This item also includes provision for tax payments. The additions of £34,066 16s. 1d. to fixed assets are mainly accounted for by the new unit to which I have just referred. Sundry debtors remain much the same as last year in spite of the larger turnover.

STOCKS OF MANUFACTURED GOODS

There is a natural increase in stocks of manufactured goods in relation to the trade we are doing, but perhaps I ought again to explain, as I have done on previous occasions, that in this section of the glass trade economical production at the furnace and efficient service in the delivery of our customers' contracts both combine to build up stocks held by the manufacturer instead of by the buyer, to the advantage of the latter. It should therefore be borne in mind that the bulk of the stock carried is in fact earmarked against running contracts with our customers. No depreciation has been shown against loose plant and tools, as was done last year, because the stock has been carefully revalued on a conservative basis.

In allocating the profit we have written off the charge incurred on the Second Debenture, we have placed £20,000 to reserve, as against £10,000 last year, and we are recommending a distribution of 5 per cent. only on the Ordinary shares. In accordance with what I said last year, we are of the opinion that the best interests of this company will for the present be served by building up reserves whenever we are in a position to make profits, in order to provide on the one hand working capital which may be needed for expanding business, and on the other hand to place ourselves in a strong financial position to meet the risks of bad times. Our shareholders will not suffer in the long run, for as soon as the occasion seems opportune we will consider the advisability of capitalizing a part of our reserves.

FUTURE PROSPECTS

You will doubtless expect me to express some opinion as to our future prospects. The general depression of trade common at the present time to all the large countries in the world affects the glass trade as acutely as any other, and increasing competition in this country must eventually lead to the elimination of the more inefficient producers and a better understanding between the survivors. So far as we are concerned we have every confidence in our ability to maintain our company in a sound position so long as we persevere in our policy of taking advantage of every opportunity which modern technical experience and scientific research afford us of improving our methods of manufacture and the quality of our ware. We have gradually gathered around us a first-class staff of younger men who have greatly contributed both on the research and on the engineering sides of our business to the success that has recently attended our efforts. It is to them and to our workpeople that we are chiefly indebted for the results we have been able to lay before you.

With our workpeople we continue in very friendly relations indeed. I ought to tell you that last year constituted a record in the company's freedom from labour troubles, and, in accordance with the remarks I made last year, I may say that we are now on the point of commencing construction of the social hall which we then agreed to erect for their comfort and entertainment. The directors would like to take advantage of this opportunity to express their thanks to staff and workers for their devotion to duty and for their loyal support.

VISIT OF THE GERMAN SOCIETY OF GLASS TECHNOLOGY

Last month the German Society of Glass Technology paid a visit to their confrères, the English Society of Glass Technology of Sheffield, and we had the pleasure of showing the visitors, who included several of the German glass manufacturers and not a few of the leading glass research professors from the German universities, round our works, subsequently entertaining them to lunch at Liverpool. Your directors had other opportunities of meeting them in London after they had completed their round of visits to other factories in this country, and from the close interest they displayed we have every reason to think that their high praise of our plant was not the perfunctory compliment of a well-entertained guest.

I now beg to move: "That the report of the directors and statement of accounts for the year ended March 31, 1930, as submitted to this meeting, be and the same are hereby received and adopted, and that a dividend on the Ordinary shares of 5 per cent., less income-tax, be declared, payable to shareholders on the register as at June 9, 1930."

Mr. WALTER FORSTER, J.P. (joint managing director), seconded the resolution, which was carried unanimously.

The retiring director (Sir Sydney H. H. Henn, K.B.E.) was re-elected, and the auditors (Messrs. Chalmers, Wade and Co.) having been reappointed, the meeting terminated with a hearty vote of thanks to the chairman, directors, and to the staff.

The report for 1929 of the Delhi Electric Supply and Traction Company states that the lighting and tramways undertakings show a net revenue of Rs.785,820 (compared with Rs.893,370 in 1928). The profit for the year amounted to £55,159 (against £62,887). Depreciation and renewals reserve receives £6,000 (£10,000), £6,000 (£8,000) is provided for taxation, and £1,500 (the same) is allocated for staff benefit. The directors recommend a final dividend of 8 per cent., again making 12 per cent. for the year, leaving £19,600 to be carried forward (compared with £1,941 last year, when £25,028 was added to general reserve). Last year a 33⅓ per cent. share bonus was distributed, in addition to the cash dividend. Meeting, June 26.

STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES

SETTLEMENT DATES

Ticket	June 24	July 8	July 22
Pay-day	June 26	July 10	July 24

BRITISH FUNDS, &c.

Highest, 1929	Lowest, 1929	Name of Security	Closing Prices		Rise or Fall
56⅜	52	Consols, 2½%	54⅛	54⅝	+⅛
88 11/16	81⅝	Do., 4%	87⅛	87⅝	..
103¼	99 7/16	War Loan, 5%	102 7/16	102 9/16	+1/16
101⅞	99½	Do., 4%	100⅞	101⅛	..
91¾	82½	Fdg. Loan, 4%	88⅝	88⅞	..
95½	90	Victory, 4%	94	94¼	..
95⅜	90	Do., Sm. Bds.	94¼	94½	..
80¼	72 7/16	Conversion, 3½%	77	77¼	..
100	93	Do., 4½%	98¼	98½	+⅛
—	—	Do., 5%	103½	103¾	..
101⅛	97¾	Treas., 5%, '33-35	102	102¼	-⅛
100	96½	Do., 4½%, 30-32	100½	100¾	..
98 11/32	94⅞	Do., 4½%, '32-34	101	101¼	-⅛
97½	93⅞	Do., 4%, '31-33	99⅞	100⅛	..
60¼	55	Irish Land, 2¾%	57½	58½	..
66	60¼	Do., 3%	62½	63½	..
65 15/16	60	Local Loans, 3%	63⅝	63⅞	..
84¾	80	T'vaal, 3%, '23-53	81	83	..
266	239	Bank of England	250	253	..
82⅞	77¼	Egyptian, 3%	82	84	..
71⅞	60	India, 3½%	61½	62½	..
61¾	50½	Do., 3%	52½	53½	..
51½	44	Do., 2½%	42½	44½	..
101⅞	98	Do., 5½%	99¼	99¾*	..
92¼	80¼	Do., 4½%, '50-55	84½	85½	+½
109	103 7/16	Sudan, 5½%	107	108	..
66⅛	60	Ldn. Cty., 3%	63	64	..
76¼	70	Do., 3½%	74	75	..
104⅝	99⅛	Do., 5%, '40-60	101¼	102¼	..
104¼	100	Corp. of Ldn., 5%	105	106	..
65¼	59	Met. Water, "B"	66	67	..
67	58¾	Do. "A"	64½	65½	..
85⅛	81	Met. Cons., 3%	86	87	..
75½	67½	Do., 2½%	71¼	72¼	..
64	58	Pt. of Lond., 3% "A"	60	61	..
85¼	76¼	Do., 4%, "B"	80½	81½	..
100¾	93	Do., 4½%	95	96	..

DOMINION AND COLONIAL

Highest	Lowest	Name of Security	Closing Prices		Rise or Fall
105½	98	Aust., 6%, '31-41	98¾	99¼	..
99¼	90½	Do., 5%, '45-75	86¼	86¾	..
91⅛	86¼	Can., 4%, '40-60	90½	91	..
85¾	78⅝	Do., 3½%, '30-50	82¾	83¼	..
95¼	91⅛	Cape, 4%, '16-36	95	95½	..
82⅞	78¾	Do., 3½%, '29-49	82	82½	..
81½	78¼	Do., 3%, '33-43	83	83½	..
113¾	108½	G.Cst., 6%, '45-70	110¼	110¾	..
104¼	99	Kenya, 5%, '48-58	100½	101*	..
85½	81⅝	N't'l, 3½%, '34-44	85½	86	..
76⅞	72½	Do., 3%, '29-49	75¼	76¼	..
88	83⅛	N.S.W., 3%, '35	84¼	84¾	..
77	69¼	Do., 3½%, '30-50	65½	66	..
94¼	90½	Do., 4%, 1933	91¾	92¼	..
99½	88¼	Do., 5%, '45-65	86½	87	..
102	92	Do., 5¼%, '47-57	88¼	88¾	..
104	98¾	N. Zeal., 5%, '46	100½	101*	..
97⅞	91⅞	Do., 4½%, '45	95¾	96¼	..
89⅛	82⅛	Do., 4%, '43-63	85½	86	..
88⅜	84⅞	Do., 3½%, '40	88¾	89¼	..
80¾	75	Do., 3%, 1945	79¾	80¼	..
104½	98½	Nig., 5%, '47-57	102½	103	..
100	89	Q'd., 5%, '40-60	85	85½	..
84	73¾	Do., 4%, '40-50	72½	73	..
104¼	98⅞	S. Af., 5%, '45-75	99	99½	..
90	81½	Do., 4%, '43-63	85¾	86¼	..
99⅜	89	S.A'st., 5%, '45-75	85¼	85¾	..
102¾	97⅞	S.Rd., 5%, '34-49	101¼	101¾	..
85⅞	79½	Tas'a., 3½%, 1940	79	79½	..
99½	89	Vict., 5%, '45-75	85¼	85¾	..
79¼	70	Do., 3½%, '29-49	67½	68	..
99⅜	91	W. As., 5%, '45-75	87¼	87¾	..
90½	86	Do., 3½%, '20-35	86	86½	..
81⅛	72	Do., 4%, '42-62	68½	69	..

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT

Making-up prices June 2	Name of Security	Closing Prices		Rise or Fall
87¾	Arg., 4% Rescission	88	89	..
83½	Do., 4%, 1900	82½	83½	..
94	Do., Port Cap. 5%	94½	95½	+¼
102	Austrian, 6%	101	102	..
110	Belgian, 7%	110	111	..
94½	Berlin (City of), 6%	94½	95½	..
52¾	Brazil, 4%, 1889	51	52	-½
63½	Do., 4% Rescission	62	63	-1
65¼	Do., 5%, 1913	63	64	-½
76¾	Do., 5% Fdg., 1914	75½	76½	..
86¼	Do., 6½%, 1927	84	85	..
59¾	Buenos Aires, 3½%	59¼	60¼	..
83	Bulgaria, 7%	83	85	..
96½	Chile, 6%, 1926	96½	97½	-½
91	Do., 5%, 1911	89	91	-1
108	Do., 7½%, 1922	107	109	..
97¾	Chinese, 5%, 1896	96½	97½	-½
82½	Do., 4½%, 1898	80	81	-½
46	Do., 5%, 1912	38	40	-1
64¼	Do., 5%, 1913	59½	60½	-1
60	Do., Shanghai-N. 5%	52	54	-1
25	Do., Tientsin-P. 5%	20	24	-1
30	Do., Hukuang 5%	26	29	-1
110	Czechoslovakia, 8%	109¾	110¾	..
76½	Egyptian Unified	73	75	..
20½	French, 5%	20⅜	20⅞	..
20⅛	Do., 4%	20	20½	..
105	Midi, 6%	104½	105½	..
105	Nord, 6%	104½	105½	..
105¾	Orleans, 6%	105½	106½	..
106	P.L.M., 6%	105½	106½	..
110	Seine (Dept. of), 7%	109¾	110¾	..
105¾	German, 7%	105½	106½	..
63	Greek Monopoly, 4%	62	65	..
79¼	Do., 5%, 1914	79	81	..
101¼	Do., 7% Refugee	101¼	102¼	..
92¼	Do., 6% Stabilization	92¼	93¼	..
102¾	Hungarian, 7½%	102	103	-¼
18⅛	Italian, 3½%	18	19	..
102	Do., Cdt. Consort. "B"	101	102	..
75¾	Japan, 4%, 1899	75	76	..
90	Do., 5%, 1907	89½	90½	..
101½	Do., 6%, 1924	101	102	..
93	Tokyo (City of), 5½%	92½	93½	..
18	Mexican, 5%	16	18	..
79	Peru, 6%, 1928	77	79	-1
88	Polish, 7%	88	89	+½
47	Portugal, 3%, 1st Ser.	47¼	48¼	-¼
47	Roumanian, 4% Cons.	46	47	..
2½	Russian, 4%, 1889	1	3	..
2¾	Do., 5%, 1906	1	3	..
103	Siamese, 6%, 1924	102½	103½	-½
12	Turkish, 4% Unified	10½	11½	..
67½	Uruguay, 3½%	65½	66½	-½
7⅜	Peruvian Corp.	7¼	7¾	..
46	Do., Pref.	44	45	-½
104½	German Potash, 7%	104¾	105¾	..
91	San Paulo Coffee, 7½%	87½	88½	-½

BRITISH RAILWAYS

Making-up price	Name of Security	Closing Prices		Rise or Fall
83¾	Great Western	81¼	82	-½
—	Do., 4% Deb.	81¼	82¼	..
—	Do., 5% Gtd.	98½	99½	..
—	Do., 5% Pref.	94¾	95¾	..
48¼	L. Mid. and Scottish	45	45¾	-1
—	Do., 4% Deb.	78	79	..
—	Do., 4% Gtd.	74¾	75¾	..
—	Do., 4% Pref.	66¼	67¼	-¼
8⅛	L. and N. East., Def.	7⅜	7⅞	-⅛
26¼	Do., Prefd.	21½	22¼	-¼
—	Do., 3% Deb.	56¼	57¼	..
—	Do., 4% 1st Gtd.	70¼	71¼	-¼
—	Do., 4% 1st Pref.	61½	62½	-¼
—	Do., 4% 2nd Pref.	48	49	-¼
66	Metropolitan	63½	64½	-½
77	Met. Dist.	75½	76½	..
30	Southern, Defd.	27⅝	28⅛	-⅛
71	Do., Prefd.	70	71	..
—	Do., 4% Deb.	78	79	..
—	Do., 5% Gtd.	97½	98½	..
—	Do., 5% Pref.	89	90	..
23/3	Underground, £1	22/9	23/3	..
110	Do., Income	108½	109½	..

FOREIGN AND COLONIAL RAILWAYS

Making-up price	Name of Security	Closing Prices		Rise or Fall
85	Antofagasta, Cons.	79½	81½	-1
—	Argentine Gt. West.	75	77	..
—	Argentine N. Eastn.	28	29	..
88	B.A. Gt. Southern	82	84	-1½
79	B.A. and Pacific	73	75	-1½
68⅛	B.A. Western	61½	63½	-1½
211	Canadian Pacific	196¾	197¾*	-1¾
71	Central Argentine	63	65	..
81	Central Uruguay	75½	77½	-½
13⅛	Cordoba Central	13	15	..
17	Do., 2nd Pref.	17	19	..
32	Costa Rica	31½	32½	..
80½	Entre Rios	75	77	-½
—	Int. Cent. America	24½	26½	..
51½	Leopoldina	42	44*	-1
7½	Mexican, 1st Pref.	6½	7½	..
4⅝	Nitrate (Bearer)	4	4¼	-⅛
187	San Paulo	170	175	-6½
13½	United of Havana	10	13	..

BANKS AND DISCOUNT COMPANIES

Security	Closing Prices	Rise or Fall	Security	Closing Prices	Rise or Fall
Az. of Egypt	6⅞	..	Lloyds, A	62/9	-3d
Alexanders	3 1/16	..	Martins	7⅝	-1/16
Anglo-S. Am.	6½	..	Merc. Ind. C.	12⅜	..
Bk. of Aust.	11⅝	-⅛	Midland, £1	75/6	..
E. Ld. & S.A.	8¾	..	Do., £12 (£2 10s. pd.)	9 1/16	-1/16
Bk. of Mtl.	61½	-½	National	2⅜	..
Bk. of N.S.W.	36	..	Nat. Dist., B	9¾	..
Bk. of N.Z.	58/0	..	Nat. Egypt	29	+1
Barclays, A	8	..	Nat. India	43¼	..
Do., B	55/9	..	Nat. Prov., £4	13 15/16	..
Do., D.C.O.	27/6	..	Ryl. of Can.	61½	..
B. Overseas	5⅛*	-1/16	Stand. S.A.	15⅛	-⅛
Can. Com.	51½	-½	Un. of Aust.	10½	..
Char. India	16⅝	..	Un. Discount	9	..
District	3	..	Westminster	78/9	-3d
Eng. S. & A.	5¼	..	Do., £1	50/9	..
Hambros	8 11/16*	..	Wms. Dcns. A	39/6	..
Hongkong	106	..			

INSURANCE

Security	Closing Prices	Rise or Fall	Security	Closing Prices	Rise or Fall
Alliance, New	18¼*	..	Nthn. Assur.	14½	-¼
Atlas Assur.	12	-⅛	Phoenix, f.p.	13⅝*	..
Britannic	14½	..	Prudential	22¼*	..
Com. Un.	22½	..	Do., "B"	37/0	..
Eagle Star	11⅛	..	Royal	7½*	..
Empl'rs Liab.	71/0	..	R. Exchange	5¾	-1/16
Gen. Accdt.	14⅛	-1/16	Scottish, "A"	14⅞	..
Guardian	10*	-⅛	Sea	71/0	..
Ldn. and L.	27⅜	..	Sun Insur.	36⅞*	-⅛
Ldn. Assur.	9	..	Sun Life	53	..
N. Brit. & M.	31¾	-¼	Y'ksh'e(50/-)	6 1/16	-1/16

TEXTILE AND CHEMICAL

Security	Closing Prices	Rise or Fall	Security	Closing Prices	Rise or Fall
Amal. Cotton	0/7½	..	Engl. Cotton	1 21/32	..
Bleachers	18/6	..	FineSpinners	22/0*	..
Borax, Def.	7/16	-1/32	Hoyle, J.	4/0	..
Brad. Dyers	24/0	..	Impl. Chem.	22/9	..
Brit. Celanese	12/6	..	Do., Defd.	7/0	-1½d
Do., 2nd Pf.	10/0	..	Jute Ind., Pf.	2/3	..
B. Cot. Dyers	4/7½*	..	Linen Thread	1 11/32	..
Brit. Enka	3/9	-7½d	Lister	13/3	..
Calico Print.	9/0	..	Patons & B.	17/6	..
Can. Celanese	2¼	+¼	Rylands	19/6	..
C'n'se Amer.	4⅛	+⅛	Salt Union	1 11/16	..
Coats	57/3	+3d	Salts (S'lt're)	2/6	..
Cook, Son	8/6	..	Snia Viscosa	10/0	-9d
Courtaulds	2 3/16	..	Wardle&Dav.	1 19/32	+1/32

ELECTRICAL POWER AND EQUIPMENT

Security	Closing Prices	Rise or Fall	Security	Closing Prices	Rise or Fall
Ass. Elec. In.	23/3	-9d.	Hydro Elec.	39	-2
Atlas	26/0	..	Johnson&Ph.	36/0	..
BarcelonaTr.	33	-½	Metro. Elec.	39/9	..
B'mouth&Pl.	56/0	+1/0	Mex. Lt. Com.	77½	+1
Braz. Tract.	39⅝	-1⅛	Do., 1st Pf.	77½	+1½
Brit. Insuld.	74/6	..	Mid. Counties	27/0	..
Brush Elec.	119	..	N'we'le Elec.	22/0	-3d
Callender's	73/0	..	Perak River	10/6	..
City of Lond.	34/0	..	Siemens	23/0*	..
County Lond.	45/0	..	Teleg. Const.	18	..
English Elec.	3/6	..	Vic. Falls	5	..
Gen. Elec.	49/3	+3d	Whitehall Pf.	24/4½	-1½d
Henley's Tel.	6 1/16	..	Yorkshire	31/6	+3d

MISCELLANEOUS

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
A. & E. Trad.	12/0	..	Imperial Tob.	4 15/16	+1/32
Am. Dent. Df.	4/3	..	Imp. Tob. Can.	38/3*	-9d
Apollinaris	8/0	+3d	Int. Nickel	22½	-1
Assd. Cement	25/10½	..	Kreuger & T.	27¾	+¼
Bovril, Def.	39/6	-3d	Lautaro, Pf.	3 1/16	-1/16
Brit. Alum.	1 15/16	..	Do. Delaware	5	..
Brit. Am. Tb.	5 5/16	..	Lever, 7% Pf.	23/3*	..
Brit. & S. Pac.	16/6	+3d	LiverpoolNit.	9/0	..
Brit. Match	24/0	-6d	LondonBrick	39/0*	..
Brit. Oil Cake	28/9	-3d	Manbré G. Df.	15/0	..
Brit. Port. Cm.	2⅛	..	Marconi Mar.	1 11/16	..
Brit. Ropes	3/6	..	Do., Can.	1 1/16	..
Cab&W. "B"	16	..	Mather & P.	2	-1/16
Do. 7½% "A"	36	-1	Nairn, M. & G.	2⅛	..
Do., 5½% Pf.	87½	+1	New Tam'g'l	18/0	-6d
Carreras "A"	7 15/16*	+1	P. & O., Def.	43/0	..
Col. Graph.	3⅝	-1/32	Phillips (G.)	1	..
Crittall	23/3	-3d	Pinchin J'son	42/3	+1½d
Cr. & Bl. 1 Pf.	12/7½	..	Prim. Hldgs.	26/6*	..
Cunard St'm	20/3	..	Royal Mail	18½	..
Dunlop Rbr.	11/4½	..	Sm. & Arg. Mt.	6/0	..
E. ReadyG.B.	16/7½*	-1½d	Sth. Met. Gas	103	..
Finlay, Jas.	75/0	+1/3	Spillers	19/0	..
Furness, W.	32/0	..	Swed. Mtch. B	14⅛	+⅛
Gas Lt. & C.	19/0	..	TarapacaNit.	8/3	..
Gaumont Br.	13/6	-3d	Turner & Nl.	3¼*	..
Globe Tel.	18½	..	Utd. Dairies	31/0	-1½d
Gramophone	3 13/16	+1/32	Un. Molasses	2⅞	..
Harrisons&C	6	..	Unilever	2½	+1/16
Imp. Con. Gas	350	+5	Utd. Tob. (S.)	4 1/16	..
Imp. Smelt.	15/6	..	Wallpaper D	44/0*	-3d

COAL, IRON AND STEEL

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Amal. A'th'te	4/4½	+1½d	Howard & B.	⅜	..
Armstrong	0/6½	+1½d	Lambert	32/6	..
Babcock&W.	55/3	..	Pease & Ptns	2/1½	..
Baldwins	2/1½	..	Platt Bros.	4/0	..
Bengal	8/0	..	Powell, Duff.	6/6	-3d
B.S.A.	9/0	..	Richds., West	3/1½	..
Bolsover	14/0	..	Ruston & H.	4/0	..
Brown(John)	3/0	..	S. Speakman	12/0	..
Cammell Ld.	1/1½	-1½d	Staveley	19/0	..
Consett	6/0	..	Stew. & L. Def.	23/3	+1½d
Cory (Wm.)	58/9	..	S. Durham	20/0	-3d
DormanLong	3/6	..	Swan, Hunter	19/3	-3d
Ebbw Vale	0/10½	..	Tata, Deb.	99	..
Guest, Keen	33/6	+3d	Thomas, R.	2/1½	..
Hadfields	6/3	..	Vickers	6/6	-1½d
Harld. & W.P.	7/6	..	Weardale, Df.	17/3	..
Hopkinson	31/3	..	Yk. Am. A&D	7/7½	+1½d

MOTOR AND AIRCRAFT

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Austin (5/-)	20/6	-6d	National Bus	27/6	..
Dennis Bros.	40/0	+1/6	Rolls-Royce	43/6	-3d
Ford	62/6	-3/0	Rover	8/1½	-4½d
Guy Motors	16/6	+6d	Singer	28/3	-6d
Humber	17/6	..	S.T.D., Pref.	7/9	-3d
Imp.-Airways	24/0	..	Smith, S., Df.	4/0	..
Leyland	67/6	+2/6	Thornycroft	60/0	-1/3
Lucas, J.	75/0	..	Till. & Brit.	43/9	-6d
Morris, 7½Pf	21/9	..	Till. Stevens	10/6	..
Napier, D.	11/3	..	Tilling, T.	4 11/16	..

BREWERIES

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Allsopp	25/0	-6d	Ind. Coope	62/0	..
Bass, Ratcl.	65/0	+6d	Meux's	38/6	..
Benskin's	37/6	..	Mitch's & B.	56/6	..
C. of Lon., Def	12/3	..	S African	60/3	..
Courage	62/6	..	Taylor, Wlkr.	32/9	+9d
Distillers	65/9	+6d	Threlfalls	55/0	-3d
Guinness	100/9	+9d	WalkerP.&C.	18/0	+3d
Hoare	65/6	..	Watney, Def.	61/6	..

STORE, CATERING, AND HOTEL

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Aerated B.	17/3	-3d	Lewis, Pfd.	46/3	..
Army & N.	38/6	..	Lipton	5/0	..
Barker	61/6	..	Lyons, "A"	4 25/32	..
Boots Pure D	5½	..	Maple	30/0	..
Carlton	33/0	..	Map. & Webb	10/9	..
Debenhams	8/3	..	Maypole, Def.	5/6	+1½d
Fredk. Hotels	11/6	..	Savoy Hotel	31/6	..
Gordon Htls.	12/10½	-1½d	Selfridge, Pf.	26/0	..
Harrods	61/10½	-1½d	Smart Bros.	1⅛	..
Harr'ds(B.A.)	16/0	-9d	Spiers&P10/0	16/9	..
Home&C.4/0	17/0	..	Waring & G.	25/6	+3d
Internat. Tea	24/0	+3d	Whiteley	50/0	..

FINANCIAL, LAND, &c.

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Arg. Ld. Inv.	38/0	..	Dalgety	9¾	..
Arg. Stlm. Ld.	20/0	..	Forestal	13/9*	-9d
Aust. Est. M.	52	..	Goldsbr. Mt.	28/3	..
Aust. Merc. L.p	6½	..	Hudson's B.	3⅜	..
Brit. N. Born.	6/9	..	Kassala Cot.	7/3	..
Cty. Ld. Real	18/6*	..	N.Z.L. & M.	99	..
Cordova	2/0	..	Sudan Plants	2½	+1/16

RUBBER

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Allied Sum.	11/3	..	L. Asiatic	3/7½	..
An.-Dutch	26/0	..	Lumut	30/0	..
An.-Java	2/1½	+1½d	Malacca	1 1/16	..
An.-Malay	11/3	..	Malayalam	19/6	..
Bah Lias	20/0	..	Mendaris	13/9*	..
Bajoe Kidoel	1 7/16	..	Merlimau	2/0	+3d
Batu Tiga	20/0	-6d	Pataling	29/32	..
Bertam Cons.	3/3	-1½d	Perak	2/3	..
Bukit Mert'm	2/4½	..	Rembau Jelei	21/3	..
Castlefield	5/3	..	Rubber Tst.	29/9	+3d
Cons. Malay	3/6	..	Sarawak	1/4½	..
Duff Devt.	¼	..	Selangor Un.	2/0	..
E. Asiatic	1/7½	..	Sennah	1¼	..
Grand Cent.	14/4½	..	Sialang	15/16	..
Gula Kalump	15/16	..	Straits Rbr.	15/16	+3/32
Highlands	1 9/32	..	Sum. Para	2/0	..
Java Invest.	1 13/32	..	Tandjong	15/16	..
Java United	1¼	..	Tanjong Mal.	1 1/16	..
Jugra& Carey	12/3	..	Telogoredjo	1 1/16	..
Kapar Para	20/0	..	U. Serdang	2/9	..
Kuala Lump.	1 3/16	..	U. Sua B't'g	2¼*	..
Labu	26/3	..	U. Sumatra	1/6	..
Lanadron	10/0	..	U. Temiang	1/7½	..
Linggi	31/32	..	Vallambrosa	9/9	..

TEA

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Amal. Est.	18½	..	East'n Prod.	3 15/16	..
An.-Ceylon	1 13/32	..	Empire	1⅞	..
Assam Co.	27/9	..	Galaha	43/0	..
Assam Front.	20/3	..	Imperial Tea	30/0*	-6d
Bogaw'tawa	3⅜	..	Jhanzie	2⅛	..
Brahmap'tra	28	..	Jokai	54/0	-1/0
Brit. Indian	2½	..	Jorehaut	2 15/16	-1/16
Budla Beta	3 9/32	..	Lanka Plant.	1 13/16	..
Carolina	55/0	..	Lebong	4*	..
Ceylon Plant.	4⅞	..	Lungla	12/0	..
Chargola	10/0	..	Makum	35/0	..
Chubwa	3 15/32*	..	Nedeem	34/6	-6d
Cons. T. & L.	20	..	NewDimbula	5⅞	..
Darjeeling	2¾	..	NuwaraEliya	5 1/16	..
Darj. Cons.	3 11/32*	..	Pabbojan	4¾	..
Deundi	14/0*	..	Scot. Tea&L.	2 15/16	..
Dooars	47/6	-3d	Singlo	2 7/32	-1/32
DoomDooma	3 27/32	+1/32	Travancore	2½	..
East'nAssam	3½	..	Upper Assam	36/3	..

OIL

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
A.-Ecuador	15/3	..	Lobitos	1 15/16	..
A.-Egypt., B	2 3/32*	+3/32	Mex. Eagle	12/0	-1½d
A.-Persian	4⅛	-1/32	Do., 7% Pf.	8/3	..
Apex Trin.	1	..	Phœnix, £1 sh	11/1½	-1½d
Attock	1 5/32	+1/32	R. Dutch	31¾	-⅛
Brit. Borneo	9/6	-3d	Shell	4 21/32	-1/16
Brit. Burmah	5/3	..	Spies (2/-)	0/6	..
Brit. Cont'l. Pf	6/10½	..	Steaua Rom.	8/3	..
Burmah	4 11/32	..	Trinidad C.	3/6	..
Canad. Eagle	11/7½	-1½d	Trinidad L.	2⅝	-1/16
Do., 7% Pf.	12/6	..	U.-Brit. Trin.	5/10½	+1½d
Creole	1¼	-1/16	Ural Caspian	0/6	..
Kern River	4/6	-1½d	V.O.C., Ord.	2 17/32	-1/32

SOUTH AFRICAN MINES

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Af.&Europ'n	15/3	..	Modder Deep	1¼	..
Anglo-Amer.	1 1/16	..	Modder East	1⅜	..
An.-French	25/32	..	Mozambique	8/0	+3d
Brakpan	2 11/16	..	Natal N. Col.	¾	..
C. Mining, Br.	15¾*	..	New Jagers.	1¾	..
City Deep	5/9	..	New Modder	4 1/16	..
Cons. Dmds.	9/0	-3d	New State A.	1⅞	..
Cons. G. Flds.	1 15/32	+1/32	Nourse	9/0	..
Cons. M.R.	14/3	..	Randf'tn E.	7/0	..
Cons. M. Sel.	11/9	..	Rand Mines	3 1/32	+1/32
Crown	3 15/32	+1/32	Rand Selec.	7/16	..
Daggafontein	1 7/32	..	Rob. Deep B	8/6	..
De Beers, D.	7¼	-¼	S.A. Town	8/3	..
Durban Deep	11/0	+3d	S.W. Africa	17/0	..
East Geduld	1 31/32	..	Springs	3⅜	+1/32
East Rand	9/10½	+1½d	Sub Nigel	2⅜	+⅛
Geduld	3⅝	+1/16	T. Cons. Lds.	1¼	..
Gen. Mining	1 1/16	..	Union Corp.	3 7/32	-1/32
Govt. Areas	1 25/32	+1/32	V. Ryn Deep	1 19/32	..
J'b'gC'nsInv.	38/3	+9d	Vereen'g Est.	1⅞	..
Knights	10/0	..	Village Deep	5/32	..
Langlaagte	24/0	..	W. Rd. Cons.	6/3	..
Meyer & C.	21/32	..	West Springs	13/4½	+3d
Modder, B.	14/6	+3d			

RHODESIAN MINES

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Bwana M'k'b	13/6	+1/1½	Rhod. Cong. B	14⅜	+⅝
Cam & Motor	1⅛	..	Rhod. K't'ga	1¼	-1/16
Chartered	33/4½	+3d	Rhod. Sel. Tr.	1⅝	-⅛
Gd. of Rhod.	8/3*	..	Roan Antel.	1¼	..
Loangwa	4/3	+3d	Selukwe	3/0	..
Lonely Reef	15/16	..	Shamva	1/9	..
N'Changa	2 11/16	+7/16	Tang'ikaCon.	1 25/32	+1/32
Rhod. Ang.-A	1¼	+⅛	Wankie Coll.	1 1/16	..
Rhod. B. H.	2/0	..	ZambesiaEx.	1 21/32	-1/32

NIGERIAN AND WEST AFRICAN MINES

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Anglo-Cont.	6/0	..	Fanti Cons.	12/3	-3d
Ashanti	29/0	-6d	KadunaSynd	⅝	..
Assoc. Nigeria	5/9	..	Naraguta	7/16	..
Bisichi	7/0	..			

EASTERN TIN MINES

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Ayer Hitam	11/9	..	Pahang	7/0	..
Bangrin	⅝	+3d	Petaling	10/0	-3d
Gopeng	2 1/16	..	Renong	19/6	..
Hong-kong	15/9	-1/0	Siamese	9/9	..
Idris	6/6	..	Sthn. Mala'n	11/6	-3d
Ipoh	18/9	..	Sthn. Perak	1⅞	-1/16
Kampar Mal.	14/0	-1/0	Sungei Besi	9/6	..
Kamunting	6/3	-3d	Tavoy	5/0	-3d
London Tin	16/6	+6d	Tekka Taip.	17/0	..
Malayalam	18/3	..	Tronoh	15/9	..

MISCELLANEOUS MINES

Security	Price	Rise or Fall	Security	Price	Rise or Fall
Aramayo	1⅛	..	Mysore	10/0	..
Balaghat	1/6	..	Nat. Mining	0/7½	..
BaseMet. Min.	10/0	..	Nundydroog	15/0	..
Bkn. H. Prop.	17/6	-6d	Ooregum	5/0	..
Do., North	2¾	-1/16	Patino	4	..
Do., South	1 15/16*	+1/16	Rio Tinto	33	-⅞
Burma Corp.	11/0	+1½d	Rus. A. Cons.	0/3	..
Cent. P. Mang.	3	..	S'ta G'trudis	8/6	..
Champion R.	6/10½	..	St. J. Del Rey	16/6	..
East Pool, Pf.	1/9	..	SanFrancisco	16/3	-3d
Edie Devt.	¾	..	S. Amer. Cpr.	1/3	..
Elec. Zinc, P.	1 5/16	..	Sulphide	11/0	-6d
L. Vw. & Star	11/9	-3d	Tharsis	3 9/16	-1/16
Min. Sepn.	6½	..	Vipond	4/9	..
Mining Corp.	5/3	-3d	Wiluna	17/6	..
Mining Trust	7/3	+3d	Zinc Corp.	1 5/16	..
Mount Isa	⅞	..	Do., Pref.	3¼	..
Mt. Lyell	27/6	+1/0			

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RECENT ISSUES

Stock or Share	Price of Issue	Yesterday's Quotations	Rise or Fall
Agric. Mt. Corp., 5% Deb.	100	⅛ dis.	- ⅛
Belfast Water, 5%, 1950-60	99½	99¾	+ ⅛
Birmingham, 5%, 1946-56	100½	½ prem.	—
Bristol, 5%, 1950-60	99½	2⅛ prem.	—
Dublin, 5%, 1950-70	95½	¼ dis.	—
GermanInt., 5½% Bds., 1930	90	1⅛ dis.	- ⅜
Grimsby, 5%, 1950-60	99¾	99¾	—
Ilford, Ltd., 6½% "A" Pf.	20/0	6d. dis.	- 3d.
India, 6% Bds., 1933-35	99	1⅛ prem.	- ⅛
Int. Mt. Bk. of Fin'd., 6% Bds	95	92½	—
Japan, 5½%, 1930	90	½ prem.	—
Johannesburg, 5%, 1950-60	97½	⅛ prem.	+ ⅛
L.C.C., 4½%, 1945-85	95	Par	—
Mt. Isa Mines, 8% Deb.	100	3½ dis.	—
Newport, 5%, 1947-67	99¾	99	- ⅛
New Zealand, 5%, 1949	99	1⅜ prem.	—
Niger Co., 5% Deb.	94	¼ prem.	—
Pt. of London, 5%, 1950-70	99½	¾ prem.	—
Queensland, 5½%, 1934-36	97	2⅛ dis.	—
Rhod. and Mash. R., 6% Deb.	100½	¼ prem.	+ ⅛
Roan A. Copper, 7% Deb.	99	11 dis.†	—
Do., Option Certs. (Reg.)	—	3/4½	—
St. Helens Crp., 5%, 1950-70	99½	⅞ dis.	—
San Paulo Coffee, 7% Bds.	96	3¾ dis.	- ½
Southampton, 5%, 1947-67	99	2¾ prem.	—
Southern Rly., 5% Guar. Pf.	98½	Par	—
Unilever, Ltd., Ord. (£1)	£3	9/6 dis.	+ 1/0
West Ham, 5%, 1948-68	98½	2½ dis.	- ⅛
Wiggins, Teape, 5½% Deb.	98	½ dis.	—

† Ex option certificates.

OFFICIAL RECORD OF DEALINGS

In the following statement are shown the prices at which business in officially quoted stocks was transacted yesterday as shown in the list issued by the Stock Exchange. Appended to each section will be found prices at which business was done in securities which, under the order of the Stock Exchange Committee, are included in the Supplementary List of unquoted securities. The sequence of marking is not necessarily that in which the bargains were done.

The meaning of the signs used is as follows:—‡, Exceptional bargains, including those done free of stamp duty; Δ, bargains done with or between non-members; ††, bargains done during unofficial hours or on the previous day; A, the purchaser pays the accrued interest in addition to the price; ‡‡1, income-tax free up to 6s. in the pound; ‡‡2, income-tax free up to 1s. 2d. in the pound; ‡‡3, income-tax free up to 5s. in the pound.

BRITISH FUNDS, &c.

2½% Anns., 52¾
2¾% Anns., 58½ ¾ ¼
2½% Cons. Stk., 54 1/16 ¼ ¼ ⅛ ¼ ¼ ¼ ⅛ 3/16 ⅛ ¼ 3/16 1/16 1/16 1/16 1/16
4% Cons. Ln., 87 3/16†† ⅛†† 5/16 5/16 ⅛ 5/16 5/16 7/16 5/16 ⅜ ¼ ⅛ ¼ 5/16 ⅛ ⅜ 7/16
3½% Conversion Ln., 76 13/16 7/16 1/16 ⅛ 6 15/16 13/16 7⅛ ⅛ 7/16 ¼ 6⅞ 7 7 7 6⅞ ⅞ 7¼
4½%, 98⅜ 5/16 ⅜ ⅜ 5/16 5/16 ⅜ ⅜ ¼ ½ 7/16 ¼ ⅛ ¼ ½
5%, 103¾ ⅝ ¾ ½ 11/16 21/32 ⅝ 21/32 ⅝ 11/16 ⅝ 11/16 ⅝
4% Funding Ln., 1960-90, 88⅝†† ½ 7/16 ⅜ ½ ⅜ ½ 11/16 ⅝ 7/16 11/16 ⅝ 11/16 ¾ ⅜ ⅝ 9/16 ¾‡
4% Treas. Bds., A. 100 100 99 15/16 100 1/32
4½% Do., 1930-32, A. 100⅜ ⅜ ⅜ ½ ⅜ ½ 9/16 19/32 19/32
4½% Do., Rep. 1st Feb., 1934 (1932-34), A. 101⅛ 3/16 ¼
4½% Do., 1932-34, A. 101⅛ ⅛ ⅛ ⅛ ⅛ 3/16
5% Do., 1933-35, A. 102¼ ⅜ 9/32 ¼ ⅜ 9/32 ¼ 5/16 5/16
4% Victory Bds. (Small), 94½ ¼ ½ 5/16 ½ ¼ ⅜ ¼
4% Do. (Large), 94¼†† ⅜ ¼
4% War Ln., 101 5/16 ¼ 5/16 ¼ 5/16 1/16 ¼ 100⅞ 1⅛ ⅛ 1 1/16
4% Trans. by Deed, 101¼ ¼
4½% War Ln., 98 ⅜ 8 7¾ 8 ⅛ ⅛
5% War Ln., 102 9/16 7/16 9/16 ½ ½ ⅜ ½ 7/16 ½ 7/16 9/16 ½ 15/32 17/32 15/32 17/32 9/16
5% Do. Trans. by Deed, 102½ 7/16 ½ 7/16 ½ 9/16 7/16 17/32 9/16

Bank of England, 251½†† 3 50 ½ 1½
India, 2½%, 44¼ 4 4 3¾ ¾ 4¼
Do., 3%, 53¼†† 2⅞ ⅞ 3¼ 2⅞ ⅞ ⅜ ⅜
Do., 3½%, 61½ ⅜ ½ 2¼†† 1⅝
Do., 4½%, 1950-55, 84¾ ⅝ ½ ⅜ ⅜ ½ ⅜ ⅜ ½ 5⅛ 1/16 4⅝ ¾ (Correction from *Official List*.—In yesterday's List the business done should have been marked 85⅛‡††, not 85⅛††)
Do., 4½%, 1958-68, 84¼ 4 ⅝ (Correction from *Official List*.—In yesterday's List the business done should have been marked 85¼‡††, not 85¼††)
Do., 5½%, 99¼†† ⅝
Local Loans, 63⅝†† ½ 9/16 ⅝ ½ ½ ¾ ¾ ⅝ ⅝ 9/16 ⅝ 19/32 7/16 9/16 ⅝
Palestine Govt., 5%, 102⅞ ⅞ 3¼
Transvaal Govt., 3%, 1923-53, 82 2 2 ½ ½
Ulster Loans, 4½%, 91½

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

India, 6% Bds., 1932-33, 100⅝ ⅝
Do., 1933-35, 100⅝
Do. (iss. at 99, £20 pd.), 30 5/16 5/16 5/16 5/16 ⅜ ⅜ ⅜

SECURITIES GUARANTEED UNDER THE TRADE FACILITIES ACTS

City and S. London Rly., 4½% Deb., 93½ ¼ ¼ 4½ ⅝
N. Brit. Aluminium, 4½% Deb., 96¼
N. Metro. Power, 5% Deb., 99½ ½
Pearson and Dorman Long, 5% Deb., 101
Synthetic Ammonia, 5% Deb., 100

CORPORATION AND COUNTY STOCKS—GT. BRITAIN & NORTHN. IRELAND

FREE OF STAMP DUTY

Metropolitan, 3%, 86¾ ¾
Lond. County, 3%, 63⅛ 3 ½
Do., 3½%, 74¼††
Do., 5%, 102¼ 1½ ⅝ 2¼ 1½
Do., 6% Bds., Housing, 1930-31, 103¼
Do., 6%, 1935-36, 104 3¼
Do., 4½%, 96†† ⅛ ⅛ ¼ 5/16 5/16 ¼ 5/16
Corp. of Lond., 5%, 103¼†† 4½†† 5¼ ¼
Bath, 3½%, 82¼ ½ ¾
Do., 4¾%, 97½ 8¼ ¼ 7½
Birmingham, 3½%, 73¼ ¼
Do., 6%, 104¼ ¼
Do., 5%, 102¼ ¼ ¼
Do., 4½%, 94⅞
Bradford, 3½% Deb., 85⅞ ⅞
Cardiff, 3½%, 1935, 94 4
Croydon, 3½%, 72
Eastbourne, 4½%, 95 4¾ ¾ 5
Gateshead, 6%, 105 5
Hull, 3½% (1st Iss.), 71¾ ¾ 2¾
Leicester, 4¾%, 96¾†† 7†† 7
Liverpool, 6%, 101½
Do., 5%, 102¼ ¼
Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 3½%, 1936, 94 4
Newport (Mon.), 5%, 1947-67, 99¾
Norwich, 3%, 63¾
Rotherham, 6%, 104½†† 4 11/16
Sheffield, 5½%, 102½ ½
Southampton, 5%, 102¼ ¼ ¾ ¾
Sunderland, 5%, 100½
Torquay, 3%, 83½ ½ ¾
Wakefield, 5%, 99½††
Do., 4½%, 91¼ ¼

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

London Cnty., 4½%, 1945-85 "A," 94 13/16 9/16
Do. (iss. at 95, £20 pd.), 19⅞ 15/16
Barnsley, 5%, 1950-60, 100 1/16 99⅞ 100 1/16 99⅞ 100 1/16
Birmingham, 5%, 1946-56 "A," 101 100⅞ 1 1 100⅞ 15/16 1⅛ 100 15/16 ⅛ 15/16 100⅞
Do. (iss. at 100½, £60½ pd.), 61
Bolton, 3½%, 1935, 93½ ½
Bristol, 5%, 1950-60 (Cash and Conv. Stk.), 101 11/16 11/16 ¾ ¾
Do. (iss. at 99½, £59½ pd.), 61½ ½
Grimsby, 5%, 1950-60, 99⅞ ¾ ¾ ⅞ ¾ ⅞ ⅞
Hull, 5% Deb., 1941-61, 100⅜ ⅜ ¼
Newport (Mon.), 5%, 1947-67 (May, 1930, iss.), 99⅜
St. Helens, 5%, 1950-70, 98¾ ½ ½ ⅝ ⅝
Do. (iss. at 99½, £29½ pd.), 28⅝ ⅝ 11/16
Southampton, 5%, 1947-67 (Mar. 1930 iss.), 102 2 1¾ ⅞ ⅞ 2
Sunderland, 5%, 1950-60, 99⅞ ⅞ ⅞ ⅞
Swansea, 5%, 1945-55, 99 11/16 ¾ ⅞ ⅞ ⅝ ⅜ 13/16 13/16

PUBLIC BOARDS, &c., GT. BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND

FREE OF STAMP DUTY

Mersey Docks and Harbour, 3½% Deb., 74¼ ¼ 5 5
Met. Water, "B," 66⅞ ⅞ ½ ½
Do., 3½% "C," 101¼ 7/16 ⅛ ½ ½ ½
N.W. Mid. Joint Elec., 5%, 98
P.L.A., Pt. of Lond., 4%, 84

SUBJECT TO STAMP DUTY

Cent. Elec. Board, 4%, 82½ ¾ ⅜ 3½ ⅜ ⅜
Met. Water, "A," 3%, 65⅛ ⅛
Do., E. Lond. W.W., 3% Deb., 62½ 3
P.L.A., 5%, "A," 60¾ ½ ½ ½
Do., 4% "B," 81¼ 80½ 1¼

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Belfast and Dist. Water, 5%, 99⅞ ⅞
Cent. Electricity, 5%, 101½‡ ½‡ ¾‡ ¾‡ ¼‡ ¾‡ ¾‡ ¾‡ ¾‡ ½‡ ½ ½
P.L.A., 5%, 1950-70 (May, 1930, iss.), 100½ ⅝ ⅝ ¼ ⅝ ½ ¼ ¼ ⅜ ⅜
Do. (iss. at 99½, ptly. pd.), ¾ ½ ½ 11/16 ¾ ½ ⅞ pm
Agricul. Mort. Corp., 5% Deb., 1950-80 "A" (2nd iss.), 100 1/16‡ 99⅞ ⅞ 100⅛ ⅛ 99⅞ 100 1/16 100
Do. (iss. at par, £40 pd.), 40 39⅞

DOMINION, PROVINCIAL & COLONIAL GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

N.S. Wales, 5¼%, 1947-57, 90¼ ¼
Newfoundland, 3½%, 1947-8 and '51, 81¾ ¾
Victoria, 5½%, 96

REGISTERED AND INSCRIBED STOCKS

Alberta, 4½%, 92¼
Australia, 6%, 98⅞ ¾ 9⅛ 9 9 8¾ ¾ 9 ½
Do., 5%, 1935-45, 86¼ ¼ ¾ 6 ⅝ 6 5½ 6 ¼ 5½ ⅞ ⅞
Do., 5%, 1945-75, 86¾ ¼ ⅝ ¼ 6 ⅝ ⅝ ¼ ¼ 6 6 ⅝ ⅝ ¾
Brit. Columbia, 4½%, 93½ ½
Canada, 3½%, 1930-50, 83 2⅞ ⅞ 3 3
Do., 4%, 91 90⅞ ⅞ ⅞ ⅝ ⅞ ⅞
Cape of Good Hope, 4%, 95¼ ¼ ¾
Do., 3½%, 82 2
Natal, 4%, 95⅞
Do., 3%, 75¾ ¾
Do., 3½%, 1934-44, 86½ ¼ ¼
N.S. Wales, 4%, 1933, 91⅝ ⅝ 1 1 ⅝
Do., 3%, 84½ 4 4 ½ ¼ 5 4¼ 3¾
Do., 4%, 1942-62, 67⅞
Do., 5½%, 95½
Do., 5¼%, 1922-32, 97¼ ⅝ ⅝ 7 7 ⅞
Do., 6½%, 99½ ½ ⅜ ¾
Do., 4½%, 77 7 ½ ½ 8
Do., 5%, 1932-42, 87¼ 7 ¼
Do., 5%, 1935-55, 84 4 4 ½
Do., 5%, 1945-65, 86½ ½ ½ ¾
Do., 5¼%, 88¾ ½ ½ ¾ ¾ ¾ ¼
N. Zealand, 3½%, 88⅝ ⅝
Do., 3%, 79¾ ¾
Do., 4%, 1943-63, 85¾ ¾ ¾
Do., 5%, 1935-45, 99¾ 100 ¼ ¼ 99¾ ¾ 100¼ 99⅞
Do., 4%, 1933-43, 89½ ½
Do., 4½%, 1944, 96¼ 5¾ ¾
Do., 4½%, 1947, 94¾
Do., 4½%, 1948-58, 94 ½ 4 4 ½ ½ ½ ½
Nigeria, 6%, 1936-46, 106‡
Do., 4%, 87 7
Do., 5%, 1947-57, 102⅝ ⅝
Do., 5%, 1950-60, 101⅞ ⅞ 2 3/32††
Queensland, 3½%, 1950-70, 59⅝ ⅝
Do., 4%, 73 3 3
Do., 5%, 84¾ ¾ ¾ 4 ½
S. Africa, 6%, 101 ⅛ ½
Do., 5%, 1933-43, 99¾
Do., 5%, 1945-75, 99⅜ ⅜ ⅝ ¼ ¼ 9 ¼ 9 5/16 5/16
S. Australian, 4%, 1916-36, 89 8½ ½
Do., 3½%, 1939, 80
Do., 4%, 1940-60, 68⅞
Do., 6%, 98⅛ 7¾ 8⅛
Do., 5%, 1932-42, 87 6¾
Do., 5%, 1945-75, 84¾ ¾
Sthrn. Rhodesia, 5%, 101½ ½
Straits Setts., 3½%, 78 ⅝ ⅝
Do., 4½%, 94¾ ¾
Tasmanian, 3½%, 79½ ½
Do., 4%, 1940-50, 76
Do., 5%, 1932-42, 91 1 90½
Victoria, 3½%, 67¼
Do., 4%, 71¼ 70 ¼
Do., 5½%, 1924-34, 95
Do., 5%, 1935-45, 88
Do., 5%, 1932-42, 87½
Do., 5%, 1945-75, 85½ ¼ ¾ ¾ ¼ ¼ ¼
W. Australia, 3%, 1915-35, 83½ ½
Do., 3½%, 1935-55, 65
Do., 4%, 1942-62, 68 8
Do., 6%, 94½ 5½ ½
Do., 5%, 1935-45, 86½
Do., 4½%, 77¼††
Do., 5%, 1945-75, 87 7 6½

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

N. Zeal., 5%, 1949, 100 7/16 ⅜ ½ ½ ½ 7/16 ⅜ ⅜ 7/16 ⅜ 7/16 ¼ 17/32††
Do. (iss. at 99, £49 pd.), 50¼ ⅜ ¼ ⅜
Queensland, 5½% Debs., 94⅞ ⅞ ⅝ ⅝ ⅞ ⅞ ¾ ¼
Do. (iss. at 97, ptly. pd.), 2½ ½ ½ dis

CORPORATION STOCKS—DOMINION, INDIAN AND COLONIAL

Auckland, 5% Cons., 1957, 96¾ ½
Calgary, 4½% Debs., 1930-42, 95
Do., 4½% Debs., 1937, 95
Cape Town, 4% Insc., 1953, 83¼ ¼
Do., Kalk Bay-Muizenburg, 5%, 1939, 96½ ½
Durban, 4%, 1953-7, 84⅞ ⅞
Jo'burg, 4%, 96⅞ ⅞ ⅞
Do., 5½%, 101½ ¾
Melbourne and Met. Bd., 5%, 1948, 87 7
Met. and Ipswich Water (Brisbane), 6½% Debs., 100 100
Montreal, 3% Deb., 61
Do., 4% Reg., 1948-50, 86½ ½
Do., 4½% Reg., 1951-3, 92½†† ⅞†† ½ ⅞ ⅝ ⅝
Do., 4½% Reg., 1959, 94 4
New Plymouth Harbour, 5½% Debs., 100 100
Rand Water, 4%, 94
Singapore, 4% Deb., B, 77
Sydney, 5% Debs., 90¾
Thames Valley Elec., 6% Debs., 104½ ½
Wanganui (Borough), 5½% Debs., 98¼ ¼
Wellington (C. of), 4% Debs., 1907, 98¼ ⅛
Winnipeg, 4% Cons., 1940, 90¾

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

J'burg, 5%, 1950-60, 97¾ 9/16 9/16 ⅝ ⅝
Do. (iss. at 97½, £27½ pd.), 27½

CORPORATION STOCKS—FOREIGN

Amsterdam, 5½%, 102¾ ¾
Berlin, 6%, 94⅞ ⅞ ⅝ 5 ¼
B.A. (City of), 5%, 92 2
Dresden, 5½%, 86⅞
Lima, 5% Bds., 71
Munich, 6% Bds., 80¼
Osaka (City of), 5% Bds., 89½
Pará (Belem), 5% Bds., 1915, 57/6
Riga, 4½%, 33¼†† 3
Santos, 7%, 88
Seine, 7%, 110⅞ ⅞
Tokyo, 5%, 1912, 83

FOREIGN STOCKS, BONDS, &c.

COUPONS PAYABLE IN LONDON

Argentine, 5% Rly. Bds., 1890, 99‡
Do., 4% Rly. Gtees. Rescis. Bds., 88¼ ¼
Do., 4% Bds. (1899), 82½
Do., 4% Bds. (1900), Lws. 3378 and 3885, 82¼ ⅛
Do., Pt. of Cap. (B.A.) 5% Bds., 95 5
Do., 5% Irrig. Bds. (1st Series), 94½ ¼
Austrian, 6% Bds., 101 11/16 ½ 2 1¾ ½ ¾ ⅞
Bahia (State of), 5%, 1913, 55⅛
Belgium, 7%, 110 ⅞ ⅛ 10 ½ ⅛ ½
Brazilian, 4½%, 1883, 71
Do., 4½%, 1888, 67⅞ 7 ⅛
Do., 4%, 1889, 51½ 2⅛ 1½
Do., 5%, 1895, 67
Do., Rly. Guar. Rescis. 4% Bds., 1901-2-5, 62½ ¾ ¼ 2 ¼ ⅛ 1/16
Do., 5%, 1903, 78½ ¾
Do., Lloyd Brasileiro 4% Bds., 94½
Do., 5%, 1908, 97‡
Do., 4%, 1910, 52½ ½
Do., 4% Ln., 1911, 77¼††
Do., 5%, 1913, 63½ 4 4 3¼
Do., 5% Bds., 1914, 75¼ ¼ ½ ⅞
Do., 6½%, 83¼ ½
B. Aires (Prov. of), 3½% Bds., 59¾ ¾
Do., 5%, 1913, 87½
Chilean, 5%, 1911 (1st iss.), 90½ 90 90
Do., 5% Anns., "B," 94
Do., 8% Bds., 105¾‡
Do., 6% Bds., 97¾ ¼ ¾‡ 6¾
Do., 6%, 1928, 97 ½‡
Do., 6%, 1929, 97¾†† 1⅛‡ 1½
Chinese, 5%, 1896 (Eng. iss.), 97¼†† 6⅞ 7⅛ 6⅞
Do., 5%, 1896 (German iss.), 96††
Do., 4½% Bds., 1898 (Eng. iss.), 80½ ½ ⅞ 1⅛ ⅛ 80⅞ 1 80½ ⅛ 1 1/16 1 80½
Do. (German iss.), 78¾
Do., 5%, 1912, 40¼ 40 ¼ 39¼ 40 39½ 9Δ
Do., 5%, 1913 (Lond. iss.), 60 ¼ ¾ ½ 1¼ 60¾ ¾ 1 60½ 1
Do. (issued in France), 60 60
Do., 8% Nts., 7½††
Colombian, 6% Bds. (1913), 88
Colombia (Agricultural Mt. Bk. of), 6½% Bds., 85 4¼
Czechoslovakia, 8% Bds., 110 10
Dutch E. Indies, 5%, 101½
Egyptian, Pref., 5%, 61½ 1‡ ¾‡
Do., Ins. Stk., 56⅞
Finland, 4½%, 76⅞
German, 7% Bds., 105⅝ ⅜ ½ ½ ¼ ⅝
Greek, Monopoly 4%, 1887, 63¼
Do., 5%, 1914, 79½ 80 80
Do., 7%, 102 2 1¾
Do., 6% Stabilisn. Bds., 1928, 92⅞ ⅝ ⅝
Do., 6% Public Wrks., 1928, 87⅛ ⅛ 7 ¼
Hungarian, 7½% Bds., 102¾††
Japan, 4%, 1899, 75⅛ 5 5/16 ⅛ 3⅛‡
Do., 5%, 1907, 90⅛ 89¾ 90 90
Do., 4%, 1910, 69¾††
Do., 6%, 101¼†† ¼ 100⅞ 1⅛ 98⅞‡ 101¼ ⅛ 5/16
Do., Sth. Manchurian Rly. 5% Bds., 100 ¼ 100
Do., 4½% Bds., 95 ⅛
Mexican, 5%, Ext., 1899, Asstd., 17¾ 16½ 17¾
Minas Geraes, 6½%, 81½
Norwegian, 6%, 104
Para, 5%, 1915, 75/- 5/-
Paraguay, 3% Bds., Stpd., 47¼
Portuguese Ext., 3% (1st Ser.) Stmpd., 47⅝ ⅞ ⅝
Roumania, 4½%, 1913 (Lon. Iss.), 54
Do., 4% Ext., 1922, Bds., 73½ 4 3¼ ¼
Do., 4%, 1922 (Brit. Iss.), 46¼ 6 6 ⅛ 6 ⅝ ¾ ⅛
Do., Monopolies Inst. 7% Bds., 87
Salvador, 6% Bds., 87½
San Paulo (State), 7½% Bds., 89 8
Do., 6% Ext., 71½
San Paulo (Bank), 6% Bds., "C," 75††
Siamese, 4½%, 1905, 93½
Do., 7%, 104½
Do., 6%, 102⅞ ½ ¼
Spanish, 4% (Bds.), 60††
Uruguay, 3½% Bds., 65½

COUPONS PAYABLE ABROAD

French, 5% Rentes (Lon. and Dub. Iss.), 20½ ¾ 11/16 ⅝ ⅝ ⅝ ⅝ 11/16
Do., 4% Rentes (Lon. and Dub. Iss.), 20¾†† ½
Do., 4% Rentes (Brit. Iss.), 20⅜ 7/16 5/16 5/16

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Chinese, 4%, 1895, 99¾
Do., 5%, 1913 (German Iss.), 60½
Do., 5%, Hukuang Rlys. (German Iss.), 20
German, 5½%, 1930, 89 5/16†† ¼ 9 ⅝ 8⅞ 9¼ 5/16 ¼ 8 5/16 ⅜ ¼ 9 ⅛ 9 ½ 9⅝ 5/16 8¾ ¼ ¼ ⅜ 9 9/16 8¼ 8 5/16 ⅛ ½ 90 89 5/16 8 15/16
Do. (iss. at 90, ptly.-pd.), 1 1/16†† ¾†† ⅝†† 1 1/16†† ⅛ ¼ 1 5/16 1⅛ ⅝ ½ 1 0 15/16 15/16 1 0 15/16 1 ...
Japan, 5½%, 1930, fully-pd., 90 5/16 ½ 9¼ ½ ⅜ ½ ⅝
Do. (iss. at 90, £45 pd.), 45⅛†† 5/16 5/16 7/16 ½ ⅜ ⅜ ⅜ ...
Mexican, 4% Extnl., 1910 Assented, Ex "A" Receipts, 12½††
Ottoman Empire Bds., Ser. "A," 1928, 55/-
San Paulo (State of), 5%, 1907, 71½
Do., 7%, 1930, 93½†† 2½ 3¼ 2½ ¼ 3 2¾ ½ ¼ ¼
Do. (iss. at 96, £50 pd.), 46⅞†† 7 6½ 7 6½ 7 6 6 ⅝ ¾ ¾ ¾

RAILWAYS—GT. BRITAIN & NORTHN. IRELAND—ORDINARY SHARES AND STOCKS

Gt. Westn., Cons., 82¼ 2 ¼ 2‡ 2 ¼ 2 1⅞ 2¾ ¼ 1½
L. and N.E., 5% Prefd., 22⅛†† ¼†† ½ ⅜ ⅛ ¼ ⅛ ⅛ ¼ ⅛ 1⅞ 2‡ 2‡ ⅜ ⅛ ⅛ ¼‡ 2 ⅞ ...
Do., Def., 7⅝ 11/16 ¾‡ ¾ ¾ 13/16 ⅞ ...
L.M.S., 45¾†† 6 ⅝ 6‡ ⅝ 6 ½ ½ ¼ ¼ 6 ¼ 5½ 6 6 ...
Mersey, 23½
Met., Cons., 63¾ ½
Met. District, 7⅝††
Southern, Prefd., 70¼ ¼ ½ ¼ ⅛ 70 ¼
Do., Def., 27⅞†† 8†† 8‡ ¼ ⅝ ¾ 7⅞ 8⅛ 7¾ 8 8
Underground, 23/1½†† 3/- -/1½ -/1½ -/1½ -/3‡ -/0¾ 3/-‡ -/0¾ 3/- -/3 -/3¾
Do., 5% Deb., 98⅛
Do., 6% Inc. Deb., 104½
Do., 6% Inc. Bds., 108½†† ⅞ ½ 9¼ 9 8½ ½ ¾ 9 ...

LEASED AT FIXED RENTALS

Birkenhead, Cons., 80

DEBENTURE STOCKS

Gt. West., 4%, 81½ 2 1⅜ ⅝ 2⅛ 1⅝
Do., 5%, 101¾
L. and N.E., 3%, 56⅜ ⅜ ¼‡ ¾ ⅝ ¼ ⅞ ...
Do., 4%, 75 5 ¾ ¼ 5 ¾
Do., 5%, 98⅞ 8 7¾
Lon. Elec., 4%, 79½ ½ ¼
L.M.S., 4%, 79 8⅞ 9 8⅞ 9 8¼ ⅞ ¼ ¼ ...
Do., 5%, 98½ ½
Metropolitan, 3½%, "A," 70½
Southern, 4%, 79 8¾ 9 9 8⅞ ...

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Metro., New 3½% "A," 70½ ½ ¾ ¾ 70

GUARANTEED SHARES AND STOCKS

Forth Bridge, 4%, 79¾
Gt. West., 5% Rent-charge, 100
Do., 5% Cons., 98½ ½ ⅛ ⅜
Gt. West. and Gt. Cent. Joint, 3½% Guar., 68‡ 8‡ ⅛ ⅜
L. and N.E., 4% 1st, 70¼‡ ¼ ¾ ¼ 70
Do., 4% 2nd, 68½‡ ½ 9 8¾‡ ¾‡ ¾ ½‡ 9½
L.M.S., 4%, 75½ ½ ¾ ¾ ½ 5 ¾ ⅝ ¾ 4¾‡
Met. District, 5%, 72¾
Southern, 5% Pref., 97¼‡ 8½‡ 7¾‡ ¾‡ ¾
Do., 5% Pref. (1957), 99 9 8¾‡ ½

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Southn., 5% Pref., 1957 (April 1930 Issue), 98¾‡ ¾ ½‡
Do. (iss. at 98½, £65 pd.), 64⅝ ⅝ ¾ ⅞

PREFERENCE SHARES AND STOCKS

Dividends contingent on the Profit of each separate year except where otherwise indicated

G.W., 5% Cons., 95½ 5‡ ½ ½ ¾ ¾ 5‡ ½ 5
Do., 5%, 1950, 97½ ½
L. and N.E., 4% 1st, 61¾‡ ¾ ¾ 2⅛ ⅝ ½ 1⅞‡ 2 1¾‡ ¾ 2⅛ ⅛ ¼†† 2 1⅜ ⅞
Do., 5%, 89¼
Do., 4% 2nd, 48⅛ 9 8¼ 9 8⅞ 8 8‡ ¾ ¾ 9 8⅝ ½ ½ ¾ ¼
L.M. and S., 4%, 67¼ 6½ ¼ ¾ 7 7 7 ¼‡ 6½ ¼ ¼ ½ ¼ ½‡ 7¼ 6⅞ 7¼ 6⅞ ⅞
Do., 5%, 95¾ ¾
Do., 4%, 1923, 64½†† ⅜ 5¼ 5 ¼ 4⅝ ⅜ ½‡ ½ 4¾ ⅝ ½ ⅜
Metro., 3½%, 62½
Metro. Dist., 4½% 1st, Contingent on profits of each half-year, 80
Southn., 5%, 89½ ¾ ⅛ 9 ¾ ⅛ ¾ ⅛ 9 9

INDIAN RAILWAYS

Bengal and N.W., 265
Bengal Nagpur, 3½%, 77½†† ½
Bombay, Baroda and Cent. India, 3%, 90¾
E. Indian, "B," 161 11/16 ⅝ ⅝ 11/16
Do., 4½% Deb., 1935-55, 79¼ ¼ 9 9
Gt. Indian Peninsula, B, 22 11/16
Madras and Southn. Mahratta, 3½%, 110½ 12
Madras, "B," 171⅛ ⅞
Scinde, Punj. and Delhi, "B," 161 11/16 11/16
W. of India Portuguese, 5%, 103 4

RAILWAYS—DOMINION & COLONIAL

Algoma Cent. Termls., 5% Bds., Stamped, 51
Calgary and Edmonton, 4% Deb., 78¾
Canadian Nat., 1927, Deb., 69½
Canadian Northn., 4% Alberta Deb., 88¾‡ ¾‡
Do., 4% Saskatchewan Deb., 88¾‡
C.P.R., 108½ ½ 7¾ 8½ 7¾ 9 11/16†† 8¾ ¼ ¼ 8 ¾ 9 8¾ ½ 8 8 9 7¾ 7‡ 9 7‡
Do., 4% Pref., 80 79 80 78¾
Do., 4% Deb., 81¾ ¾ ¾ (Correction from Official List.—In yesterday's List the business done should have been marked 81¼‡, not 81¼)
Gd. Trunk Pac. Branch Lines, 4% Bds., 1939, 91⅛
Gd. Trunk Pacific, 4% Bds., "A," 81½ 2 ½
Do., 4% Bds., "B," 81½ ½ ½ ½
Do., Lake Superior Brch., 4% Bds., 82½ 3
Gd. Trunk of Canada, Borrd. Cap. 5% Deb., 102⅝ 2
Do., 4% Cons. Deb., 82 1¾ ⅞
Gt. Southn., 4% Guar. Pref., 54⅛Δ
Ontario and Quebec, 5% Deb., 99½ ½ ½
Rhodesia, 5% Debs., 93
Rhodesia and Mashonaland, 6% Debs. (Bearer), 100⅞ ⅞ ⅞

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

C.P.R., 4% Pref. (New), 80‡ 80‡ 80‡
Rhodesia and Mashonaland, New 6% Debs., 100⅞ ⅞ 13/16 ¾
Do. (iss. at 100½, £60 pd.), 60⅛ ⅛

AMERICAN RAILROAD BONDS—GOLD

Nat. Railways of Mexico, 4½%, Assentd., 5

AMERICAN RAILROAD BONDS—STERLING

St. Paul, Minneapolis, 4%, 93⅛

FOREIGN RAILWAYS

Antofagasta and Bolivia, 81
Do., 5% Pref., 78
Do., 5% Deb., 95½†† 6†† 5½
Argentine G. West., 1st Deb. (4%), 67½
Beira, 6½% Deb., 101½
Belgian Natl., Ptg. Pref., "C" to "J" (Belgian Issue), 69/- 9/-
Brazil Rail., 60-yr. Bds., 26
B.A. and Pacific, 75 ½ 4½ ½ 5½ ¼ 5 5 4⅞ ¾ ½ 5½ 4¾ ⅛ ⅜
Do., 6% Pref., 99½ 8
Do., 4½% Cons. Deb., 76½
B.A. Gt. Southn., 85 5 ⅛ 4⅛ ½ 5 4 ¾ 5⅛ 3¾ ¾ ½ 4¾ ¾ 3
Do., 5% Pref., 84½
Do., 6% Pref., 99¼ 101 99½‡ 100 99¾
Do., 4% Deb., 73¼‡ 5
B.A. Mid., Pref. (4%), 68½††
B.A. West., 64 ¼ ¼ ¾ 3 4 3
Do., 4½% Pref., 6¾
Do., 4% Deb., 71½ ¾
Cent. Argentine, 64¼ ¼ 3¼ 4¼ ¼ 4 4 4 3½ ½
Do., 4½% Pref., 69½ 70¼
Do., 6% Pref., 99¼
Do., 4% Deb., 75†† 1½ ½ 3⅛
Do., 5% Deb., 90¼‡ 89 ¼
Cordoba Cent., 13¾
Do., 5% Pref., 19½
Cuba, 1st Mt., 5% Bds., 78½‡
Entre Rios, 6% Pref., 92¼†† ⅛††
Gt. W. of Brazil, 46/3†† 8/9 5/-
Do., 6% Prefd., 5¼
Havana Terminal, 5% Mt. Debs., 72½‡ 2‡
Do., 5% Deb. Stk., 68‡ 71‡
Internat. of Cent. Amer., Prefd. (5%), 76†† 5
Leopoldina Rly., 43⅛ ¾ ½ ½ ¾ ½ ⅜ 3 3 2¾ 2⅞ ¾ 3
Do., 5½% Pref., 77†† 8
Mexico N.-West., 5% Bds., 20/-
Midl., 6% Bds., 105½ ¼
Mogyana, 5% Bds., 82¾
Nitrate, Prefd., 77/6
Do., Defd., 7/7½
Nthn. of France, 5% Bds., 105¼
San Paulo, 170
Do., 5% Pref., 82
Sthn. San Paulo, 5% Deb., 70¾
Ud. R. of the Havana and Regla, 5% Pref., 16½
Do., 5% Deb., 83
Do., 4% Debs., 51
Zafra and Huelva, 3% Bds., 41/3

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Beira Rly., Bearer Certs. (B. S. Africa Co.), 19/4½

BANKS AND DISCOUNT COMPANIES

Anglo-French, 15/3 -/3 -/3
Anglo-Internat., 10/10½ 11/1½
Anglo-S. Amer., "A," 6½ 15/32
Bk. of Australasia, 11 11/32 ⅜ 13/32 ½ 13/32 ½ ⅜ 7/16
Bk. of Lond. and S. Amer., 6 11/32
Bk. of Nova Scotia, 64¼††
Barclays (D.C. and O.), "A," 27/9†† -/3 -/3 -/7½
Barclays, "A," 7 23/32 25/32 23/32
Do., "B," 55/9 -/6 -/9 -/9 -/4½ -/4½ -/4½ -/7½
Brit. Overseas, "A," 5¼
Canadian of Commerce, 52½
Chartered of India, Austla., and China, 16⅝‡ ⅜
Comm. of Australia, 20/6‡ -/6 -/6
Do., 4% Pref., 6⅛‡
Eng., Scot. and Australn., 5¼ ¾
Hongkong and Shanghai, 106 ½ ½ ½
Indus. of Japan, 5% Bds., 94
Lloyds, "A," 62/9 -/10½ -/7½ -/9 -/9 -/7½ -/10½ -/10½ 3/- 2/7½
Do., "B," 21/6 -/3 -/3‡ -/3 -/3 -/6 -/1½ -/6 -/6
Midland, £12, £2½ pd., 9 5/32 ⅜ 7/16 ⅛ 5/32 ⅛ 5/32 ⅛
Do., £2½ fully pd., 9⅛‡ ⅛ ⅛ £9/3/0 9⅜ ⅛ ⅛
Do., £1 fully pd., 75/9 -/1½ -/6 6/- 5/3 -/3 -/3 5/-
Nat. of N. Zea., 8⅜ ⅜
Nat. Disc., "B," 9 11/16
Nat. Mort. of Greece, 7% Bds., 99⅞
Nat. Prov., £4 pd., 13 15/16 31/32 25/32‡ £13/16/9 13 15/16 23/32 25/32‡ £13/16/0 13 23/32 27/32 £13/16/9
Do., fully pd., 18¾‡
Standard of S. Africa, 15 15
Un. of Australia, 10 13/32 ⅜
Un. Disc. of Lond., 8⅞
Westminster, partly pd., 79/1½ -/1½ 8/9 9/- -/1½ 8/6 -/6 -/9
Do., fully pd., 50/7½ -/6
Wiener (Bearer), 10/-††
Williams Deacon's, "B," 44/-

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Alexanders Disc., New, 7/9 -/6 -/0¾ 7/- 7/-‡ 7/- -/1½ 8/3pm.
Anglo-S. American, "B," 25/6
Commercial of Australia, New (1930 Iss.), 10/- pd., 9/6‡

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES

Allsopp, 24/6‡ -/6 5/6
Do., 7% Pref., 100
Barclay, Perkins, 10% Pref., 31/6
Benskin's, 5% Cum. Pref., 83/9
Brewers and Dist. of Vancouver (V.T. Certs.), 5/-‡ 4/10½ 5/- 4/9 5/- 5/-
Buchanan-Dewar, 7½% Pref., 24/1½ -/3 4/-
Bullard, 4% Deb., 65††
Cannon, 4% Mort. Deb., 69 9
Cheltenham, 7½% "A" Pref., 21/3
City of Lond., Defd., 12/3¾ 12/-
Do., 6% Non-Cum. Pref., 19/9
Courage, 62/-
Distillers, 65/7½ -/6 5/- -/3 -/10½ -/6
Fremlins, 21/9
Guinness, 100/- 100/- 100/- 99/3 100/6 -/6 -/10½ -/3
Do., 6% Pref., 110½
Ind Coope, 62/-†† 1/6
Lloyd and Yorath 4½% Deb., 69½
Meux's, 38/- -/3 -/1½
Mitchells and Butlers, 56/-Δ
Morgan's, 32/-
Ohlsson's Cape, 30/-
Showells, 4½% Debs., 72
Simonds, 29/3 -/3 8/7½
Sth. African, 60/- 60/-
Tamplin, 37/6 -/6
Do., 5½% Pref., 17/- -/6
Taylor, Walker, 32/9
Threlfall's 54/9 -/3 -/6 -/3
Usher's Wiltshire, 30/10½††
Watney, Combe, Defd., 61/3 -/9 -/3 -/6 1/- -/9 1/- -/3
Do., 5½% Debs., 101½††

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Benskins', New, 35/3 -/3
Bushell, Watkins, 42/3
Friary, Holroyd, 29/6†† -/3
Do., New, 28/-†† 7/9 8/6
Lacons, 7½% Ptg. Pref., 14/3 -/6 -/3

CANALS AND DOCKS

Gd. Junction, 15/4½ 15/-
Gd. Union, 5½% Deb., 104
Manchester Ship, 5% Pref., 13/11¼Δ

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Havana Marine Term. (Certs.), -/2 -/2

COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, &c.

Aeolian, 7½% Pref., 10/1½
Aerated Bread, 17/- 16/10½‡ 17/3
Do., 6½% Pref., 18/3†† -/6 -/3
African and East. Tde., 12/1½ 11/9 12/6 11/3
Agar, Cross, 56/- 4/6 3/9 4/6 6/- 5/-
Do., 5½% Deb., 100¾ ¾
Allied News, 24/-
Do., 8% Pref., 20/4½ -/3 -/3‡
Do., 5½% Deb., 93 4
Allied Nthn. News., 6½% Deb., 99¾
Amal. Dental, 8% Prefd., 19/4½ -/4½ -/4½ -/3
Do., Defd., 4/1½
Do., 5½% Pref., 18/1½
Amal. Press, 24/6
Do., 7% Pref., 20/3 -/7½ -/3 -/1½ -/3
Do., 5½% Deb., 91¾ ¾ ¾
Apollinaris, 7/9
Army and Navy Co-op., 38/3 8/- -/3 8/-
Assd. Elec. Industries, 24/- 3/6 -/10½ -/9 -/6 3/- -/10½ 4/- 4/-
Assd. News., Defd., 27/6 6/10½ -/3 -/10½ 7/3 6/6
Do., 5% Pref., 17/9
Assd. Port. Cement, 23/9 -/7½ -/7½ -/10½
Do., 5½% Pref., 18/10½
Do., 5% Deb., 94
Austin Motor, 6½% Deb., 95¾ 5 5 ¼
Aux Classes Laborieuses, -/9½
Barker, 61/3 2/6 60/9 2/6 1/8¼ -/3 -/3 60/9
Do., 6% Pref., 22/9
Bartholomew, 3/4½ -/4½ -/6 -/4½ -/3¾ -/3¾ -/6
Beechams Pills, 8% Ptg. Prefd., 21/6
Benzol and By-Products, 6% Ptg. Pref., 1/9
Berger, 41/6 2/6 -/6 1/6 -/3
B.S.A., 9/- 8/9
Bleachers' Assn., 18/4½ -/9 -/1½ -/3
Do., 5½% Pref., 17/-
Bobby, 7½% Prefd., 20/1½
Bon Marché, 4½% Deb., 75½ 6
Booth, 57/-
Do., 7% Pref., 23/6
Boots Pure Drug, 5½
Borax Consld., Prefd. (6%), 48/9††
Do., Defd., 9/- 8/9 -/9 9/-
Do., 4½% Deb. (1st Mt.), 78½ 8
Bovril, 39/6 40/- 39/- -/6 -/7½ -/3
Do., Defd., 39/3 ...
Do., 6% Pref., 21/- -/1½ -/3 9/- 9/- -/6
Bowater's Paper, 6% Deb., 102
Bradbury, Greatorex, 2nd Pref., 22/6
Bradford Dyers' Assn., 23/3 -/3
Bradleys, 45/- 3/9
Branston Art. Silk, 3/3¼†† 3/- -/1½
Do., Defd., 1/3
Brit. Aluminium, 39/10½†† 8/6 -/10½ -/1½ -/9
Brit.-American Tobacco, 5 17/32†† 5 9/32†† ... £5/6/0 5 9/16 ...
Do. (Bearer), 5 23/32 ...
Do., 5% Pref., 20/4½ -/3 -/1½ -/6
Do., 6% Pref., 23/4½ -/3 -/3 -/4½
Brit. Celanese, 7% Pref., 12/-
Brit. Cyanides, 1/6 -/6 -/6 -/4½ -/5½
British Enka Art. Silk, 4/- 3/10½
Brit. Feeding-Meals and Milk Prod., 3/4½ -/9
Brit. Glues and Chem., 4/- -/0½ 4/- -/2½ -/2½
Brit. Insul. Cables, 74/6 -/3¾ -/6
Brit. Match Corp., 24/4½ 4/- -/1½ 3/9 -/9 4/1½ -/3 -/1½ -/3 4/-
Brit. Oil and Cake Mills, Prefd., 28/9††
Brit. Overseas Stores, 14/6††
Brit. Thomson-Houston, 7% Pref., 22/9
Do., 7% Deb., 108
Brit. Tobacco (Australia), 38/3 -/6
Brush Electl. Eng., 117 17
Bryant and May, Pref. (14%), 47/3
Do., 5% Deb., 99½ 100
Bucknall, 27/-
Burberry's, 7½% Ptg. Pref., 17/4½
Burt, Boulton, 17/9 -/6
Calico Printers' Assn., 8/7½
Do., 5% Pref., 9/3
Callard, Stewart, 6% Pref., 18/- 18/-
Callender's Cable, 6½% Pref., 24/3†† 4/-
Campbells and Stewart, 7% Pref., 4/-Δ
Canadian West. Lumber, 4/-
Carlton Hotel, 32/6†† 3/6 -/3 3/-
Carr, 6½% Pref., 20/10½ -/6
Carreras, 7⅝
Do., "A," 7⅝‡ ⅝ 15/16 ⅝ 5/16 ...
Do., "B," 19/3 -/4½ -/6 -/3 19/- -/3¾ -/6 -/3 19/- -/6
Cerebos, 5 13/16 11/32
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer), 32/6 2/-
City and West End Props., 5¼% Pref., 17/9
Coats, 57/6 -/3 6/9†† 7/6 6/10½ 7/3 -/6 -/3 7/- 7/- 7/- -/4½
Do., "B," Pref., 23/-
Cockshutt Plow, 16½ 15
Columbia Graph., 75/11¼†† 70/7½†† 4/1½ 5/3¾ 4/4½ 5/- 5/- 6/3 5/- -/3¾ -/11¼ 6/10½ -/3 5/7½†† 6/3 5/7½ 4/0¾ -/4½ 5/11¼†† 3/1½†† -/9†† 5/-†† 6/10½‡ 5/7½ 6/10½ -/10½ 4/4½ -/4½†† 7/6 -/6 5/- 6/6¾ -/6‡ 7/9¾ 8/9 4/8½ 7/6 8/1½ 7/9¾ 8/9 5/7½ -/7½ 8/1½ 4/8¼ 3/9 6/6¾ 5/11¼ 7/6†† 6/3 7/9¾ 4/4½Δ 7/6‡ 4/0¾ 7/2¼ 5/3¾ 5/- 7/2¼
Do., 7% Pref., 24/-†† 3/11¼††
Cook (St. Paul's), 8/-
Courtaulds, 44/4½ 3/9 -/9 -/9 2/9‡ 4/4½ -/4½ 3/3¼ 4/0¾ -/0¾ 4/- 4/- 3/9 -/6 -/6
Do., 5% Pref., 18/7½ -/10½ -/10½ -/10½††
Coventry Chain, 32/6 3/- 2/6 3/4½ -/3 -/3
Criterion Restaurants, 7/3 -/3 7/-
Crittall, 23/9
Crompton Parkinson, 23/9
Crosfield (Joseph), 5% Pre-Pref., 19/1½
Do., 6½% Pref., 21/1½ -/6 20/6
Crosse and Blackwell, 2/1½†† 2/-
Do., Pref. (7½% Ptg.), 13/-†† 12/6 -/4½
Crystalate Record, 2/10½ -/10½
Daily Sketch, 6½% Deb., 104
Debenhams Securities, 8/3 -/6 -/2 7/9 8/3
Do., 7½% Pref., 17/- 17/-
Dennis, 39/1½ -/7½ -/9 -/4½ -/3 -/9
Dickins and Jones, 6% Deb., 103½ 3 4
Drage's, 15% Pref., 17/-
Drapery Trust, 7% Ptg. Pref., 18/3
Dunlop Rubber, 11/6 -/6 -/4½ -/4½ -/3 -/5¼ -/3
Do., 6½% "A" Pref., 21/10½
Do., 7% "B" Pref., 21/4½
Do., 6% Debs., 103½
Eastman Kodak, 216†† 20 18 18††
Enfield Cable, 85/- 4/6 5/4½
Eng. and Dutch Meat, 8% Debs., 48½ 9
Eng. Elect., 3/4½†† -/6†† -/8¾ 9‡
Do., 6% Pref., 6/7½
Eng. Sewing Cotton, 31/10½†† 4/4½†† 3/1½
Erinoid, 3/11¼ -/11¼
Evans (D. H.), 6% Pref., 17/6‡
Ever-Ready, 16/6‡ 17/-‡ 16/6 -/6 17/- 16/10½ -/10½ 17/-
Financial Times, 20/- 1/- 1/-
Do., 7% Pref., 20/1½
Fine Cotton Spinners, 21/6
Do., 5% Prefd., 14/-
Do., 5% Pref., 15/3
Finlay, 75/-‡† 4/9 4/-
Fore St. Warehouse, 13/4½ 12/6
Francois Cementation, 8% Pref., 17/3
Gallaher, 6½% Pref., 22/7½‡
Gaumont-Brit. Pict., 13/6 -/6 -/6 -/9
Do., 7½% Pref., 16/10½ -/10½ 17/- -/1½ 16/10½
Genl. Elect., 49/3 -/9 -/3 -/4½ -/7½ 9/- 50/3 -/3 17/6 9/3 -/6 -/10½ 50/- -/6 48/6 9/- -/6 -/3
Gillette Razor, 73⅛
Gordon Hotels, 12/9 13/-††
Do., 5½% Pref., 13/7½ -/9
Gossage, 5% Pref., 16/9‡
Do., 6½% Pref., 20/9‡
Gramophone, 78/1½ 7/6†† 6/10½ 8/1½ 7/6 -/9¾ -/6 8/1½ 6/3†† 7/6 8/10½ 8/5¼ 7/6 6/3 7/2¾ 8/1½ -/9
H.P. Sauce, 94/3 2/6
Handley-Page, Pref. (10% Ptg.), 12/9
Harrisons and Crosfield, Defd., 6⅛
Harrods (B.A.), 13½% 16/-†† -/3 16/- -/7½ -/3 15/9
Harrods, 62/10½†† 1/10½ 60/-‡ 1/- 2/- 1/10½ -/10½ 2/- 1/9 1/-
Do., 7½% Pref., 27/6 -/9
Hayes, Candy, 5½% Pref., 70/7½
Henry, 5/10½
Do., 7% Deb., 99⅛Δ
Holland and Holland, 5% Pref., 51/3††
Hollins, 17/9†† -/10½
Home and Colonial, 16/10½ -/9¾
Do., 15%, 51/3
Do., 6% Pref., 5 3/32
Hope Bros., 27/-
Horne, 7% Pref., 19/9 -/7½
Hovis, 61/3†† -/10½
Hoyle, 3/3
Hulett (Sir J. L.), 7% Notes, 98††
Ilford, 6% Pref., 20/6 -/7½ (Correction from *Official List*.—In the List of the 16th inst. the business done should not have been marked 19/10½)
Illingworth, Morris, 1/9
Do., 6% Deb., 70 2
Imp. Airways, 23/9 4/- 3/9
Imp. Chem. Ind., 22/10½ -/7½ 3/- 2/6¾†† -/9¾†† -/10½ 3/- 3/- 2/7½ 3/1½ -/3¾ 2/9 -/9 -/10½ -/9‡ -/10½ -/9 -/11¼ -/8¼
Do., Defd., 6/9¾†† 7/1½ 6/10½ -/3‡ 7/- 6/10½‡ -/10½‡ -/10½ -/7½ -/1½ 7/- 6/10½ 7/2¼
Do., 7% Pref., 23/4½ -/6 -/4½ -/3 -/4½ -/6 -/6
Imp. Cold Storage, 3/9 -/9
Imp. Paper Mills, 5% Pref., 7/3‡
Imp. Tob. of Canada, 38/10½ -/3 -/4½ -/9 -/9 40/- 38/4½ 8/- -/9
Do., 6% Pref., 22/7½ 2/-
Imp. Tob. (G.B. and I.), 95/11¼†† -/7½ 6/- 5/- -/7½ -/11¼ 6/3 5/7½ 6/10½‡ -/3 -/3 -/6‡ -/10½ -/6 5/- 5/- -/11¼ 6/1½ 5/11¼ 6/6¾ -/10½ -/3 -/10½ -/6
Do., 6% Pref., 23/7½ 4/3
Do., 10% Pref., 38/9
Ingersoll-Rand, 180 90
Initial Services, 8% Pref., 21/9¾ -/9¾
Internat. Linotype, 82½ ½‡
Internat. Match, Ptg. Pref., 77¼†† 6 5¾ 6
Internat. Tea Stores, 24/- 4/- 3/7½ -/7½ -/4½ 4/- 3/9
Inveresk Paper, 5/-‡†† 5/- 5/-
Do., 7% Pref., 5/3†† -/1½ -/10½
Johnson and Phillips, 36/-
Jurgens, 7% Ptg. Pref., 24/- -/1½ -/1½
Kelly's Directories, 7½% Pref., 23/1½ 3/- -/1½
Kreuger and Toll, "B," 27¾ ¼ ⅜ 8⅛ 7⅞
Do., Ptg. Debs., 30⅛
Lever, 7% Pref., 23/- 2/10½‡ 3/- 3/- -/2¼ -/3 -/1½ -/3 3/-‡ 2/9 3/1½
Do., 8% Pref., 24/2¼ -/4½ -/1½ 4/- -/3 -/0¾
Do., 20% Prefd., 13/6 -/7½ -/6 -/7½ -/7½ -/6
Do., 7% Deb., 103⅜ 2 2‡
Do., 5% Deb., 99⅜ ¼
Lewis (John), 7% Pref., 18/- 17/6†† -/6 -/9 18/-
Liebig's, 5% Pref., 90/7½ 90/-
Linen Thread, 27/4½ (Correction from *Official List*.—In yesterday's List the business done should not have been marked 34/4½)
Lino. and Machinery, 4½% "A" Deb., 75½‡
Do., 4½% "B," 75½‡
Lipton, 5/- 4/10½ 5/- 5/- 4/11¼ 5/0¾ 4/10½‡ 5/1½
Do., 5% Pref., 7/9‡
Do., 4% Deb., 68
London and Thames Hvn. Whvs., 73/9 -/5¼
London Brick, 39/- -/3 9/- -/4½ 9/-
London Hydraulic Power, 3% Deb., 51††
London Ud. Laundries, 31/10½†† -/3††
Lovell and Christmas, 15/-†† 14/4½‡ -/9 12/6†† 15/- 14/3
Do., 6% Pref., 16/6†† -/7½ -/6 -/9 -/3‡ 17/3
Lyons, 96/10½ -/3 -/3 -/10½
Do., "A," 95/-†† -/6 6/6 5/6
Do., 6% Prefd., 21/3
Do., 7% Pref., 25/- 5/- 5/- -/1½ -/4½ -/4½ -/4½
Magadi Soda, 12½% Prefd., -/9
Do., 6% Pref., 2/4½ -/3
Manbré and Garton, 39/1½ -/9
Do., Defd., 15/- -/6 14/6
Mann, Byars, 6% Pref., 3/-††
Maple, 29/6‡
Mappin and Webb, 10/6
Do., 6% Pref., 16/-
Marks and Spencer, 5⅛ 15/32 3/16 5 ex share bonus
Do., "A," 5¼ 5/16†† ex share bonus
Mather and Platt, 41/10½†† 40/9 -/6‡
Maynards, 30/9 -/9
Maypole Dairy, 20% Prefd., 16/1½††
Do., Defd., 5/6¾ -/5¼ -/4½ -/6¾ -/6¾ -/5¼ -/4½ -/6 -/5¼ -/4½
Mazawattee Tea, 11/9
Do., 5½% Pref., 61/6¾
Metrop. Indus. Dwellings, 96/9 7/6‡
Morris Motors, 7½% Pref., 21/10½ -/9¾ -/6¾ -/10½ -/7½ -/9 -/10½
Nairn and Greenwich, 41/- 1/-
Napier, 10/10½ 11/-
Nestlé, 8% Pref., 28/9
Newfndld Power and Paper, 5½% Deb., 102½
Newnes, 23/4½
Niger, 5½% Deb., 100¾ 100 ½
P.C.T. Construct., 7% Pref., 19/4½††
Paquin, 23/3
Paterson, Laing, 4¾% Deb., 81 1 1½ ½ ½
Pearson, 5½% Pref., 15/3
Phillips (Godfrey), 6% Pref., 16/3
Piccardo Tobacco Mnftg., 10⅛
Do., Pref. (6½% Ptg.), 9 8⅞
Pinchin, Johnson, 41/9†† 2/4½ -/6 3/- 2/3 -/3 -/1½ -/3
Platt, 3/11¼
Plummer, Roddis, 5% Pref., 17/6 -/6
Do., 7% Pref., 20/3 -/3 -/3
Potash Synd. of Germany, 7%, 105⅜ ½
Props. of Hay's Wharf, 6% Pref., 22/-
Provl. Cinema. Theatres, 7½% Ptg. Prefd., 18/10½†† -/10½ -/9¾
Radiation, 37/3
Reckitt, 77/6 8/9
Reed (Austin), 8% Pref., 25/6
Rio de Janeiro Flour Mills, 43/1½ -/9
Robinson and Cleaver, 5% Pref., 14/11¼ -/7½ -/7½ -/11¼
Robinson (Peter), 7% Pref., 22/4½
Rolls-Royce, 43/1½ -/9
Roneo, 10% Pref., 25/-
Rotherham, 19/-
Rover, 8/3
Rowton Houses, 8 5/16†† 3/16††
SKF, "B," 11 7/16†† 7/16 7/16 ⅜
Savoy Hotel, 31/- -/6
Sears, 22/- 1/6 2/- 2/-
Do., 7% "A," Pref., 22/6 2/- 2/-
Do., 6% Deb., 105
Selfridge, 10% Prefd., 25/9 6/- 6/-
Selfridge Prov. Stores, 10/1½ 11/- 10/3 -/7½
Do., Defd., 1/7½†† 2/-†† 1/7½‡
Sena Sugar Estates, 2/9 -/9
Siemens, 2/3 -/4½ -/4½
Singer, 28/7½ -/4½
Do., 7% Pref., 17/3
Slaters and Bodega, 26/3‡ 7/3 -/6
Smart, 10% Pref., 25/6
Smith (S.) (M.A. Prefd.) (7%), 35/-
Do., Defd., 3/11¼ 4/- 3/10½
Do., 7½% Pref., 20/10½ -/10½
"Snia Viscosa," 10/-
Do., 7½% Bds., 101¼††
Sofina, Fracl. Certs., 48/9 9/- 8/9
Sth. Amer. Stores, 5½% Debs. (free of tax), 106
Spiers and Pond, 16/9 -/10½ -/9
Do., 6½% Pref., 20/3
Spillers, 18/10½
Spratt's Patent, "B" Pref. (6%), 21/- 20/9
Stagg and Russell, 7½% Pref., 16/10½
Stephens, 21/3††
Swedish Match, "A," 14¾
Do., "B," £14/13/0 14⅝ 11/16 ⅞ ⅝ 11/16 ⅝ 11/16 ⅝ ¾ 11/16 ¾ ⅞ ⅝ ⅞
Tarry, 6/3
Do., 6% Pref., 11/-
Tate and Lyle, 37/9 -/9 -/6 8/- 7/6††
Taylors' Drug, 7% Pref., 20/- 20/- 19/3
Tilling, 93/7½†† -/1½ (Correction from *Official List*.—In yesterday's List the business done should have been marked 92/6, not 91/10½)
Do., 5½% Pref., 97/6
Trust Houses, 15/6 -/4½ -/4½ -/3
Tube Invest., 31/9¾
Do., 7% Pref., 21/9
Turner and Newall, 64/10½†† 5/- 4/4½ -/4½ 5/- 4/8¼ 3/9 5/- 3/9 4/4½ -/6‡ 5/7½ 4/6
Unilever, 51/3 50/7½ 50/- 49/4½ 50/7½ -/7½ 49/4½‡ 50/3 50/- 50/-
Do., 7% Prefd., 22/10½ 3/- -/3
Unilever (N.V.), 48/9 9/4½ -/8¼†† 50/- 50/- -/3¾ -/7½ -/3¾ -/3¾ -/7½ -/7½ 50/- -/7½ 49/8¼ 50/1½ 48/1½†† 50/9 -/9
Do., 7% Pref., 23/- -/3 -/3
Union Cold Storage, 6% Pref., 19/10½ -/6†† -/7½†† -/6
Do., 7% Pref., 21/1½†† -/1½ 20/9 1/1½ 1/- 20/9
Ud. Dairies, 30/9†† -/10¼‡ -/7½ -/7½
Do., 6% Pref., 20/9 -/9 -/9‡ -/9
Ud. Glass Bottle Mfrs., 21/10½††
Ud. Molasses, 59/4½ 7/6 -/6Δ 8/9 -/9 -/9 9/0¼‡ 7/6 -/6 9/4½ 6/10½ 7/2¼ -/9¾ 8/1½ 7/9¾ 8/1½ 7/2¼ 8/1½ 8/- 6/10½ 8/-
Ud. Premier Oil and Cake, 7% Pref., 8/6 -/9 -/9¾
Ud. Tobacco (Sth.), 80/-
Venesta, 20/3
Vine Prods., 7/3 -/4½ -/4½ -/6 -/1½ -/6 -/6 -/3
Vocalion, 8/6 -/9 9/- -/3 8/7½‡
Wall Paper Mfrs., 30/-
Do., Defd., 44/4½ -/3 3/9
Do., 5% Pref., 17/3
Wallis, 16/3‡
Wardle and Davenport, 32/- 2/-
Waring and Gillow, 25/1½ -/3 -/6 -/7½ -/6 -/1½ 5/- -/9 -/6
Do., 6% Pref., 17/10½
Waterlow, Defd., 31/3
White (A. J.), 13/6
Whiteley, 51/3
Do., 6% Deb., 96¼ ½
Whites (Timothy), 7½% Prefd., 21/6 -/6
Williamsons, 49/-
Do., 6% Pref., 20/3
Winterbotham, Strachan, 23/9

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Adiam, 1/-
Albion Greyhounds, 15/3 -/6
Allied Cement, New, 1/-
Amal. Metal Corp., 18/1½ -/1½ -/1½ -/4½ -/3 -/7½ -/9 -/6
Anglo-For. News., Defd., -/1½
Antwerp Oil Wharves, 5/- -/3
Argyll Trust, 6% Notes, 17/6
Assd. Auto. Machine, -/6½
Assd. Brit. Cinemas, 5/1½ 4/10½
Assd. Lead, 10/0¾
Do., 6% Pref., 15/3 -/4½ -/6
Austin Motor, 20/9 1/- 19/4½ 20/9
Do., 20% Prefd., 10/10½ -/10½ -/9 -/9 -/9
Automat Sales, -/6½
Barlow, Taylor, -/10½††
Do., 8% Pref., 9/6††
Beechams Pills, Defd., 2/8½ -/9 -/9 -/8¼ -/8 -/9 -/8½
Bernstein, 8% Ptg. Prefd., 1/-
Boots Chemists (Sthn.), "C" Pref. (6%), 20/9‡†† 1/3
Bowater's Mersey Paper Mills, 6½% Deb., 102½
Brit. and Dom. Film, Ptg. Prefd., 3/- 3/-
Do., Defd., -/6 -/6
Brit. and Foreign Films, -/0½ -/0½
Brit. Can, 42/6 40/-
Brit. Celanese, 13/- 12/3½ -/9¾
Brit. Dardelet Threadlock, "B," 11/-†† -/1½†† -/3†† -/6 -/10½ 10/- -/7½ 11/10½ 10/6 -/7½ -/6 10/-
Brit. Indestructo Glass, -/8½ -/9 -/8½ -/9
Brit. Instruct. Films, 2/5½ -/5½
Brit. Internat. Pict., 5/2¼
Brit. Talking Pict., -/7½ -/7½ -/10½†† -/6
Burton (Montague), 7% Pref., 16/6
Canadian Celanese, 37/6††
Do., 7% Ptg. Prefd., 13
Carlton Shoe, 3/-
Do., 12% Pref., 3/6‡ -/6‡
Carter, 2/4½
Cavendish House (Cheltenham), 8% Pref., 10/7½
Celanese of America, 80/- 1/3 77/6 85/- 80/- 1/3 2/6 80/7½
Cellulose Acetate Silk, 3/4½ -/4½
Channel Tunnel, -/6
Civil Service Co-op., 58‡†† 5‡
Clapton Stadium, 14/4½††
Clark's Bread, 20/6
Clover Paint and Comp., 7/- 8/9
Do., 7½% Ptg. Pref., 19/6 20/3 20/- -/3
Combined Pulp and Paper, 2/1½†† -/9 -/6
Do., Defd., -/2¼ -/2½
Compton and Webb, 10/-†† -/1½ 10/-
Coronet Brick, 1/9 -/9
Cyprus Asbestos, Defd., 1/3 -/1½ -/3 -/3 -/1½
Daily Mirror, 21/3 20/9 -/9 1/- -/1½ -/1½ 1/-
Dale, Forty, 6% Pref., 11/3
Davies Bros. (Timber and Joinery), 1/8¼ -/8¼
De Havilland Aircraft, 29/9 -/6
Decca Record, 3/10½ -/7½ -/10½ -/9 -/6 -/6 -/9 -/10½ -/7½ -/6
Drage's, 5/- 4/11½
Drug Incorporated, $77½ ¼ 7 7 7
Dunhill (Alfred), 46/-
Dunhill Internat., $20
Edison Bell, 17/- 17/-
Edison Bell (Internat.), 6/0 7/3
Einsteins Elec. Chem., -/10 -/10
Eng. and Dutch Meat, -/6
Fairey Aviation, 8% Deb., 100 98¼
Fisher and Ludlow, 17/3†† -/7½††
Fisher's Foils, -/11¼ -/10½ -/11¼ -/10½ -/11¼ -/10½
Foister Clay, 7½% Pref., 12/9
Ford Motors, 65/- 4/4½ 6/3†† 7/6†† -/6†† 3/9
Forster's Glass, 7½% Pref., 13/3††
Foster Clark, 49/3 -/3
Fourwheel Jacks, -/2¼ -/2¼
Garrard Eng., 4/3 -/3 -/4½ -/4½
Gen. Refractories, 9/10½ -/10½
Gen. Theatre Corp., 7½% Pref., 12/6†† -/4½ -/4½
Gerrard Wire Machine, 4/9¾
Gestetner, 31/3 2/6
Gilford Motor, 16/-†† 15/10½†† -/6
Glave, Defd., 9/3
Grand Hotel, Harrogate, 5/6 4/11 5/6
Guy Motors, 15/1½†† -/9 -/9 16/- 16/- 15/3 15/- -/9 -/7½ -/3 15/- -/9 -/3 -/7½ 16/- 15/- -/7½ 16/3 -/9 17/- 16/6 16/- -/3 -/9 17/-
Hall Telephone Accs., 14/0¾ -/0¾
Hector Whaling, 90/-
Hepworth (J. and Sons), 7% Pref., 20/7½
Hepworth and Grandage, 9/6
Hickson Lloyd, 8% Pref., 15/-
Ilford, 6½% "A" Pref., 19/7½ (Omission from *Official List*.—Business done at 19/10½ was omitted from the List of the 16th inst.)
Do., 10/- pd., 9/6 -/6 -/6 -/5¼ -/4½
Imp. Smelting Corp., 6½% Pref., 20/-
India Tyre and Rubber, 7½% Ptg. Pref., 24/10½ -/6 -/7½ -/9 -/10½
Do., Def., 7/7½ -/7½ -/7½†† -/9 -/10½ -/6 -/8¼ -/10½
Inglis, 6% Pref., 20/10½Δ††
Initial Services, 5/6¼
Internat. Nickel of Canada, $22⅝†† ¼†† 4†† 2⅜†† ⅞†† ¾ ⅛ ¼ ⅝ ... (dense)
Do., Prefd., 24/3 -/3
Internat. Tea Stores, New 7% "A" Pref., 15/- pd., 17/9 -/6 -/9
Do., fully pd., 22/6 -/6
Jurgens, "C" Pref., 20/7½ -/3
Kia-Ora, 10/-
Laporte, 18/6††
Lawrence (Fredk.), 1/3
Lewis (J.) Partnership, 7½% Prefd., 17/3 18/6
Leyland Motors, 65/7½†† 5/- 6/6 -/3 8/9 6/- 5/7½ 7/9 8/1½ -/9 7/-‡ 8/9 -/3 7/- -/3 -/9 8/- -/1½ -/6
Do., 6% Pref., 19/9 -/6
Lond. and Prov. Sporting News Agy., 9/9 -/9††
Lond. Paper Mills, 6% Debs., 98½††
Low Temp. Carbonisation, 1/3 -/2 -/3
Mann, Byars, 1/-††
Marco Refrig., -/8 -/10
Marks and Spencer New "A," 5⅛‡ 1/16 1/16
Massey-Harris, $31
Matchless Motor, 5/3
Meuriesse, 4/4½
Do., 7½% Ptg. Pref., 11/- -/3
Nat. Ud. Laundries, 7% Pref., 4/1½ 3/10½
Do., 10% "A" Pref., 3/10½ -/6¾
Do., Def., -/6†† -/6¾
Ner-Sag, 41/3 2/3 1/10½
Newton (John M.), 1/3
Niese, 5% Deb., 93¾ 4 3¾ ¾ 4
Do. (iss. at 94, £25 pd.), 24⅞†† ⅞ ⅞ ½ ⅝ ...
Non-Inflamm. Film, 3/4½ -/4½
Do., Def., -/6¾
Northcliffe Newspapers, 5½% Debs., 98†† ½ 7½
Odhams Press, 6/-‡ 6/-††
Do., 8% Pref., 16/9‡
Do., 7½% "A" Pref., 19/9
Oxendale, Def., -/11¼
Oxford and Shipton Cement, 6/9
Philip's Lamp Holding, Certs. to Bearer, 55/-†† 6/10½
Phillips (Godfrey), 20/6 -/7½ 19/7½ 20/7½ 19/6
Piccadilly Theatre, -/5¾
Planters Stores and Agency, 21 11/16 2
Pritchards Restaurants, 7½% Pref., 17/6
Pullman Car, 11/10½
Qualcast, 6/6†† -/7½ -/7½
Quicktho, 1/3
Ransome and Marles Bearing, 19/4½
Rhodesia Chrome, 11/6 -/1½
Richards (Textiles), 8% Ptg. Pref., 5/3
S.D.H. Pianos, -/5½ -/5¼ -/5¼ -/6 -/6 -/5¼ -/5¼
Sandown Park, 11½ ½ ¼
Scribbans, 14/10½ -/5¼ -/5¼ -/1½ -/1½ -/1½ 14/- -/6 -/5¼
Do., Defd., 1/11¼ 2/0¾ 1/10½ -/11¼ -/11¼ -/10½
Selecta Gramophone, 2/5¼ -/5¼
Separator, "B," 6 1/16
Sherley, 8% Pref., 20/9
Simms' Motor Units, 20/6†† 20/- 19/9
Do., Ptptg. Pref., 20/6
Smith (Stephen), 6/10½
Smith's Potato Crisps, 8/2¼††
Splintex Glass, 8% Ptptg. Pref., 2/2¼ -/2¼ -/3 -/6 -/3 -/6 -/3 -/6
Standard Motor, 13/9 -/10½
Sunday Pictorial, 50/4½ -/0¾ 8/9 9/9
Sunlight Laundries, 1/11¼ -/10¾ -/10½
Do., 7½% Pref., 17/7½
Swears and Wells, 16/3
Synsons, 1/6¾
Tate and Lyle, 5½% Deb., 103¼‡
Taylors (Chemists), 7½% Prefd., 17/10½ 18/6
Do., Defd., 1/10½ 2/3
Taylors' (Chemists) Trust, Defd., 2/7½ -/5½ -/6 -/3
Tebbitt, 5/10½ 6/3‡
Do., 7½% Prefd., 20/-
Thames Grit and Agg., 17/4½
Tilling-Stevens Motors, 10/-‡††
Do., 7½% Pref., 16/-†† 15/-‡
Tobacco Securities Trust, £100 of Stk., 290‡ 300†† 290 7
Do., Defd., £100 of Stk., 424
Transparent Paper, 8% Ptg. Prefd., 9/3
Triplex Glass (Reg.), 35/- 6/3 -/3
Unilever, New (iss. at 60/-, 15/- pd.), 4/9 3/9 -/6 -/3 -/10½ 6/- 6/- 6/- 5/10½ 5/- -/9 -/6 -/9 -/4½ -/6 -/10½ -/7 4/10½††
Do., fully pd., 48/9
Unilever (N.V.), 49/4½†† 50/3¾
Ud. Drapery, 25/- 5/- 5/-
Ud. Kingdom Tob., 4/0¾ 4/-
Ud. Match Ind., 8% Ptg. Prefd., 12/6††
Do., Defd., 3/1½‡ -/5¼
Ud. Molasses, New, 57/6 6/3 -/10¾ -/3
Do., New 6% Pref., -/0¾ -/3 -/1½ -/1½ -/0¾ -/1½ -/2¼ -/3 -/3 -/1½ pm
Do., fully pd., 20/3†† -/3
Ud. Pict. Theatres, 10% Ptg. Prefd., 6/4½
Victoria Wine, 8% Pref., 20/- 20/-
Vocalion (Foreign), -/11½ -/9
Walters' Palm Toffee, 7½% Pref., 4/-
Wembley Stadium, 7½% Ptg. Pref., 18/- 17/6 17/- 17/- 18/-
Do., Defd., 2/3½ -/3
West (Allen), 7% Ptg. Pref., 20/7½
West Ham G. Racecourse, Defd., 1/3 -/4½
Do., 10% Prefd., 12/1½
Westinghouse Brake and Saxby, 22/9†† 3/10½
Wiggins and Co., 7½% Pref., 2/5¼†† 2/- 2/- -/5¼††
Do., Defd., -/4½
Wiggins, Teape and Co., 25/3 4/6 -/6 -/9 -/6 -/9 5/-††
Do., 7% Pref., 21/9
Do., 5½% Deb., 97¾ ¾ ¾ ½
Willey Holding Trust, 25/3
Yager, -/10½†† -/11¼
Do., 8% Ptg. Pref., 17/6
Yeast Vite, 8% Ptg. Prefd., 2/10½
Zinc Mnfg. "A," 3/3 -/6 -/6

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND POWER

Barcelona Trac., 34½
Do., 6½% Prior Lien Bds., 103¼ ¼ 3
Calcutta, 45/9†† -/9
City of Lond., 34/-††
Clyde Valley, 37/8¼
Cnty. of Lond., 45/- 4/6 5/4½ -/4½ 4/9 5/- 4/6
Do., 6% Pref., 23/1½
Do., 5% Deb., 99½ ½ ⅞ 100 100 99¾ ¾ ⅞
E. African, 25/10½ 6/1½
Isle of Thanet, 8% Pref., 23/- 3/-
Do., 4% Deb., 78 8
London Elec. Supply, 29/3
London Power, 5% Deb., 100 ⅛ ⅛ 99¾ 100⅛
Madras Elec. Supply, 25/- 6/1½
Mersey, 6% Pref., 22/6
Mexican Light and Power, 77½ 6½
Do., 4% Pref., 2 11/16††
Mid. Counties, 26/6 -/9
Monterey Rly., 5% "A" Deb., 60
Do., 5% "B" Deb., 20†† 19
Do., "C" Deb., 8†† 7
Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 7% Pref., 25/6
St. James' and Pall Mall, 28/-
Scottish, 27/3 -/3
Shawinigan Wtr. and Pwr., 68½ ½ 6⅛ 8 6½ 8 7Δ 8
Shrops, Worcs. and Staffs. 6% Pref., 22/3
Tokyo, Bds., 91¾ ¾ ¾ ⅜ ½ ⅝ ¾††
Vorarlberger Illwerke, 6% Bds., 86½ 8¾
Westminster, 27/7½
Whitehall Elect. Investmts., 7½% Pref., 24/7½ -/8¼
Do., 6% Deb., 102 2 2 1½
Yorkshire, 30/9‡
Do., 6% Pref., 23/9

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Brit. Power and Light, 1/1½
County of Lond., New (iss. at 36/-, 15/- pd.), 24/1½ 3/9 4/1½ 3/10½ 4/-
North American, $105 5 5 4¾ 5½
Power Corp. of Canada, $74
Scottish, New (iss. at 27/-, 10/- pd.), 9/7½

FINANCIAL TRUSTS, LAND AND PROPERTY

African City Prop., 35/6
Arg. Ld. and Invest., 37/3
Borneo, 21/- 20/6
Do., 7½% Pref., 23/- -/1½
Brit. Nth Borneo, 6/7½††
Brit. Sth. Africa, Reg., 33/3 -/3 3/- -/4½ -/3¼ -/7½ -/7½ -/7½ 3/- -/3 -/6 3/-‡ -/1½ -/6¾ -/4½ -/6 -/9¾ -/7½ -/6 -/0¾ -/5¼
Do., Bearer, 33/5¼
City of Lond. Real, 18/3
Covent Garden Props., 7% Pref., 21/6
Dalgety, 4½% Deb., 80½
Forestal Land, 14/- 14/-
Do., Pref. (6%), 14/9
Hudson's Bay 68/9 7/6 8/9 -/9 7/- -/6 8/1½ 7/6 8/9
Do., 5% Pref., 5½
Java Invest., Ln. and Ag., 26/9
Lond. and S. American Invest., 5% Deb., 91 ¼ 1 ¼
Lond. Co. F. and L. Props., 27/- -/3
N. Zeal. Loan, 4% 1st Mort. Deb., 69
Peruvian Corp., 7 ¼††
Do., 5% Pref., 44 ½ ½ ⅝ ⅝ ½
Do., 6% Debs., 92 1½
Power Securities Corp., 7% Ptg. Pref., 24/9†† 5/3††
Primitiva Holdings, 26/- 6/- -/6
Rio Negro, 13/9‡
River Plate Trst. Loan, Defd. "B," 7¼
Do., 5% Pref., 88
Rubber Plantns., 29/9 -/9 -/10½ -/4½ -/4½ -/6 30/- 29/9 -/10½ 30/- 30/-
Sudan Plantns., 50/- 50/- 49/8¼ 8/9 9/- -/9 50/- 49/6†† 9/-†† 50/6 -/3 -/3 -/6 -/3¾
Transvaal Lands, 4/-
Trust and Agency Assets, Mort. Deb., -/6‡ -/6
Trust and Agency, Australasia, 5% Pref., 77††
Trust and Loan, Canada, 14/6

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Anglo-Newfoundland, 8% Pref., 23/-‡ -/7½
Anglo-Oriental Mining, 7½% Ptg. Pref., 11/6
Brit. Cent. Africa, 1/9
Brit. Columbia, "A," $38½ 9⅝ 8½ ½
Do., "B," $18 18 ¼ ¾
Brit. Forn. and Colonial, 3/2¼
C. L. R. P. Invest., 25/- pd., 25/7½†† 6/9 -/9
Carmelite, 1/10½†† 2/0½ 2/- -/1½ -/0¾
City of San Paulo Impts., 10/4½ -/3
Daily Mail, 58/9 9/4½ 8/6 -/9
E. African Sisal Plantns., 5/11¼ 7/1½†† 7/-†† 6/9†† 7/- 5/11¼ 5/- 7/- 6/- 5/9 6/- 5/11¼ -/9 6/3 7/1½ -/3 8/- -/3 -/1½
Ever Ready, 9/4½
Fanti Cons., 11/9‡
Gresham, New, 2/6
G. R. Assn., -/8¼††
Do., 8% Ptg. Pref., 11/0¾ -/1½ -/3
Hudson Bay, New, 63/9
Hydro-Elec. Securities, $41 ¼†† ¼ ⅜ ⅝ ⅜ ⅜ ⅞ ¼ ¼ ⅛ ⅞ ½ ⅜ ⅜ ¼ ½ 1 40½ 1½
Do., 5% "B" Ptg. Prefd., 8¾ ⅜
Internat. Holding, $5¼ ...
Mutual Finance Indemnity, 7½% Ptg. Pref., 12/9
Operators', -/4½‡
Pekin Synd., Def., 20
Theatre Securities, -/1½
Yang-tse Corp., Prefd., -/4
Zambesia Explor., 32/6

GAS

Brit. Gas Light, 4% Deb., 72½ ½
Colonial, 18/9 19/-
Croydon, Sliding Scale, 106 7
European, 12
Gas Light and Coke, 19/1½ 18/9 19/1½ -/1½ -/0¾ 19/- 19/- 18/9
Do., 3% Deb., 60 60‡ 60 ¼ ¼ 60‡
Do., 5% Deb., 99¾
Imp. Continental, 350 50 2 45 7 5
S. Met., 102½‡ 3‡ 2½
Do., 6% Pref., 108½ ½
Do., 3% Deb., 60‡ ½ 60‡ 59½
S. Sub., 5% Deb., 95½
Uxbridge, 5% Pref., 86
Wandsworth, 111 ¼ ¾

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Croydon, 4% Perp. Deb., 70
Guildford, Cons. (5% Std.), 106 ½
Harrogate, 5% Deb., 98 8
Impl. Continental Assn., New (iss. at £21½ per £1 Stock, 25/- pd.) (per £1), 45/3 -/6 5/- 6/- 5/- 6/-
Watford and St. Albans, 5½% Pref., 97 7 7

INSURANCE

Alliance, 17⅞‡ £17/16/6
Do., New, 18⅜ ½
Atlas, £12/0/9Δ†† £12/2/0Δ†† 12¼Δ†† ⅛
Commercial Un., "Brit. Gen." Deb. (5%), 99⅞ ¾ ½ 100¼ 99½
Eagle, Star, fully pd., 11
Employers' Liability, 71/3
General Accdt., 14¾ 1/16 1/16 ⅛ 1/16 ⅛ ⅛
Gresham Life, 23
Guardian, 9⅞
Do., 5% Pref., 76/6
Lond. and Lanc., 27 5/16 ⅜
London, 8 11/16 9 1/16
Do., 6% Pref., 21/6
N. Brit. and Mercantile, 31¾ ½ 2⅛ 1⅝ ½
Northern, 14⅝
Pearl, partly pd., 12Δ
Do., 6% (free of tax) Pref., 27/6 -/3 7/- -/3 7/- -/6
Phoenix, fully pd., 13⅛‡ ⅝
Do., 4% Law Life Deb., 78 7¾ 8
Prudential, "A," 22
Royal Exchange, 5 13/16 £5/13/0 5¾
Royal, 7⅛ 7/16
Sun, 36⅞ ⅝ ¾ ¾ ¾ ⅞ 7
World Auxiliary, 20/3

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Law Accident, 4% Deb., 77½
Prudential, New "A," 21⅛

INVESTMENT TRUSTS

Abbots, 18/-
Anglo-Scottish, 105⅛‡†
Atlas Elec. and Gen., 26/- 5/10½ -/9 -/10½ -/9¾ 6/3 5/9 -/6 -/6 -/9 -/3
Do., 7% Pref., 24/- 4/-‡ -/4½
Beaver, 25/- 5/-
Do., 5½% Pref., 15/9 -/9
Brit. Assets, 5% Deb. (1977), 95
Brit. Steamship Invest., Def., 181
Charter, 79‡ 81
Do., 5% Pref., 80‡
Eastn. Internat. Rubbr and Prod., 14/-‡
Eng. and N. York, 5% Pref., 84⅞
Fgn., Amer. and Gen. Inv., 5% Prefd., 92½
Fgn. and Col. Invest., 5% Pref., 91½ 2
Do., 5% Deb., 95
Friars Invest., 21/3 20/9 -/9 -/3
Globe Telegraph, 18¾ 18
Do., 6% Pref., 10⅛
Govt. and Genl. Invest., 4% Deb., 71½ ½
Govmts. Stk. and other Sec. Inv., 5% Pref., 86½
Do., 4% Deb., 75
Indian and Gen. Invest., 5% Prefd., 85½
Indust. and Gen., 34¾‡ 52 50 50
Do., 4½% Pref., 80
Do., 4% Deb., 76⅜
Internat. Invest., Def., 180 2
Invest. Trust Corp., 4% Prefd., 73½ 4
Do., Def., 460 58 3
Lake View Invest., 23/10½
Do., 5% Pref., 87 7
Lond. and Col. Invest., 5% Prefd., 81½‡
Do., Def., 135‡
Lond. and O'seas Invest., 6% Pref., 96½
Lond. Scottish Amer., 4% Deb., 76††
Mercantile Invest. and Gen., 5% Pref., 95¾ 4
Merchants, 4% Deb., 71¼ ¼
Mid-European, 5½% Pref., 98⅛
N. York and General, 5% Pref., 85
Do., 5% Deb., 92½‡ ½‡ ½
Nineteen Twenty-Eight, 11¼ 12
Omnium Invest., Def., 181
Rio Claro Rly. and Invest., 5% Deb., 93
Scottish Amer., "A," 6 5/32
Do., 4% Pref., 75††
Scot. Capital Invest., 165¼Δ
Second Brit. Assets, 5% Deb., 1979, 94½‡
Second Lond. Scott. Amer., 5% Pref., 87
Standard, 162‡
Do., 5½% Pref., 96‡

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STOCK EXCHANGE DEALINGS—
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Trustees Corp., 248½ 9½
Do., 4½% Pref., 84¼ ¾
Union Comm. Invest., 138
U.S. and S. Amer. Invest., 5% Pref., 90

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Alliance, 649
Nineteen Twenty-Nine, 103
Do., 5% Pref., 82 3½ ½
Second Anglo-Celtic, 5% Pref., 84
Standard, New, 1/0¾ -/4½ 0/9 1/3 -/4½ 0/9 1/3 0/9 1/- -/3 0/10½ 1/4½ -/3 pm
Trust of Lond. and Scotland, 5% Pref., 84

IRON, COAL AND STEEL

Amal. Anthracite, 4/1½ -/4½ -/3
Do., 7% Pref., 12/6
Armstrong, Whitworth Securities, "A," -/6½†† -/6
Babcock and Wilcox, 54/9 3/6 -/6 5/-
Baker Perkins, 7% Pref., 20/6††
Baldwins, 2/2¼
Brown (John), fully pd., 2/6¾
Cammell, Laird, 1/1½
Consett, 6/1½‡
Do., 6% Deb., 90½
Cory, 58/1½ 9/- 8/9 9/-
Dorman, Long, 3/7½ -/7½ -/6 -/7½ -/9
Do., 5½% Deb., 84½ 6
Guest, Keen, 33/6 -/3 3/- -/6 -/6 -/6 3/- -/7½
Do., 5% 2nd Pref. (free of tax), 21/1½ -/2¼
Harland and Wolff, 6% Pref., 7/4½
Lysaght, 5½% Deb., 101½
North's Navigation, fully pd., -/6¼. (Correction from *Official List*.—In yesterday's List the business done should not have been marked.)
Do., partly pd. (Correction from *Official List*.—In yesterday's List the business done should not have been marked.)
Pease and Partners, 4% Deb., 58 9
Powell-Duffryn, 6/6 -/10½
Skoda Works, 7½% Debs., 102¼ ¾
Sth. Durham, 19/3
Do., "B," 7/7½
Do., 4½% Deb., 74
Stewarts and Lloyds, Defd., 23/1½ -/3
Stone, 6½% Pref., 23/-
Summers, 7½% Pref., 20/1½ -/0¾
Swan, Hunter, 19/3
Do., 6% Pref., 18/3
Thomas, 6½% Pref. (‡‡‡), 9/7½ -/7½ -/7½
Thornycroft, 60/- 60/-
Ud. States Steel, 165 ¼ ½
Do., 7% Prefd., 151
Vickers, 6/6 -/7½ -/4½ -/3 -/6¾ -/7½ -/4½
Do., 5% Non-Cum. Pref., 15/-††
Do., 5% Cum. Pref. (‡‡‡), 17/3 -/1½ -/1½ 17/-
Do., 5% Deb., 94½ ¼
Wallarah, 17/- -/9
Weardale, 6% Prefd., 16/6

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

B. and L. Powd. Fuel, Prefd., 1/2
Clarke, Chapman, 20/4½
Illingworth, 7/9¾†† -/9¾
Yorkshire Amal. Collieries (Group A and D), 7/9
Do., Def. (Group A and D), -/9 -/10½

MINES

Anaconda, 9½ ⅞ ⅞ 13/16 ¾ ⅞
Ashanti, 28/7½ -/6
Central Provinces, 59/- 8/1½
Cons. Gold F. South Africa, 29/4½ -/4½ 30/- 28/9 30/-‡
Cons. Mines Selection, 11/8¼ -/8¼ -/4½ -/10½ -/8¼
De Beers, 40% Pref. (Bearer), 12⅜
Do., Defd. (Bearer), 7⅜ ¼ ⅜ ½
Geduld, 71/10½ 70/-‡ 2/6 1/10½ 2/6 1/10½ 1/-
Globe and Phoenix, 13/- 12/6
London Tin Corp., 16/1½ -/6‡ 15/9 16/9 -/3 15/7½ 16/3 17/- 16/6
Do., 7½% Ptg. Pref., 6/9†† 7/-‡ 6/11¼†† -/10½ -/9
Mason and Barry, 23/9
Mountain, 3/6‡
Pahang, 7/-†† 7/-
Rio Tinto, 33‡ 4 3 15/16 ⅛ ⅜ 4⅛
St. John del Rey, 16/9 -/9
South Crofty, 2/6
Tanganyika Concessions, 34/9 -/4½ -/7½ -/10½
Tharsis (Bearer), 72/6
Union Corp., 63/9 -/9‡
Vereeniging Est., 37/4½ 6/3

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES.—AUSTRALIAN

Golden Horse-Shoe (New), 1/10½‡ 2/6 -/5¼ -/2¼ -/2¼
Lake View and Star, 11/9 12/- 11/9 12/- 11/9 -/11¼ 12/- 11/10½ -/10½ -/10½ -/9‡
Lond., Aust. and Gen., -/6¾ -/7
Mount Isa, 17/9
N. Kalgurli, 2/3

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES
MISCELLANEOUS

Broken Hill Prop., 17/3 16/10½‡
Broken Hill, South, 39/4½
Burma Corp., 11/- 10/10½ 11/- -/1½ -/2¼ -/1½ 11/- 10/11¼ 11/2¼ -/1½ 10/10½
Camp Bird, New, -/6½†† -/6¾ -/9‡
Chenderiang Tin Dredging, 2/6 -/3 -/6
Edie Devt., 12/6 -/6 -/7½
El Oro, 1/3‡
Esperanza Copper, 21/-††
Hongkong, 15/9 16/- 15/6‡
Idris, 6/6
Indian, 1/4½
Do., 7½% Debs., 77½ ½
Ipoh, 19/4½
Kagera, 6/3‡
Kampar Malaya, 14/-
Kamunting, 6/4½ -/4½ -/4½
Malayan Dredg., 18/6 -/6
Minerals Separation, 6⅝ ½
Mining Trust, 6/4½‡ -/4½‡ 7/3 -/2¼ 7/- 6/7½ 7/4½ 6/10½
New Guinea, 8/9
Nundydroog, 15/- -/4½ -/4½
Panama Corp., 13/9
Patino, 75/-††
Russo-Asiatic Cons., -/2½
San Francisco of Mexico, 15/9 -/10½
Santa Gertrudis, 8/7½ -/3 -/3 -/7½
Sinai, 27/3
Slone (F.M.S.), 12/1½ -/3‡ -/1½
Sth. American, 1/3
Southn. Malayan, 11/7½ -/3-/3
Southn. Perak, 35/7½‡
Southn. Tronoh, 7/-
Sungei Kinta, 15/-
Taiping, -/9
Tavoy, 4/9 -/9 5/1½ 4/6‡ 5/-
Tigon, 20/9
Trepca, 6/4½ -/6 -/6 -/3 -/3
Tronoh, 16/-
Venture, 5/3
Zinc Corp. Pref., 62/6 1/3

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES.—SOUTH AFRICAN

African and European, 14/6
African Asbestos, 1/6 -/9
Anglo-Amer. of S. Africa, 20/10½ 20/- 20/- -/10½ -/7½
Do., 6% Prefd., 92¾ 1‡ 2 3 2 1
Brakpan, 53/1½
Bwana M'Kubwa, 12/9 -/9 -/9 -/10½ -/6 13/- 12/6 13/3 13/- 12/6 -/4½ -/7½ -/4½ -/7½ -/10½ 13/3 12/11¼ 13/1½ -/3 -/4½ -/7½ -/9 -/4½
Do., 7½% Debs., 259
Cam and Motor, 20/9††
Centrl. (Bearer), 15½ ⅛ ⅜
City Deep, 5/8¼
Consd. African Selection, 25/6
Consd. Diamond of S. W. Africa, 8/9†† -/9 -/6 -/0¾ -/9/-
Crown Mines, 70/- 69/- -/4½ 8/9 -/9 -/9 9/4½ 70/-‡
Durban Roodepoort, 11/0¾ 10/10½
Durban Nav., 22/6
E. Rand Prop., 9/3‡ -/9 10/-
Ferreira, 15/1½
Geldenhuis Deep, 6/9 -/8¼ -/9 -/8¼ -/9 -/9¾ 7/- 6/7½ -/8¼
General, 13/3 -/3 -/3
Gold Fields Rhodesian Devt., 8/4½ -/6‡ 8/-
Govt. Gold Areas, 34/3 4/- -/4½ -/9
Henderson's Transvaal, 3/1½ 3/-
J'burg Cons., 37/3 -/9
Knight's, 8/4½‡
Langlaagte Est., 24/1½ 4/- -/1½ -/6 -/6 3/9 -/10½ -/9‡ -/10½ -/3‡ 4/6
Loangwa Concessions, 4/1½†† -/1½ -/1½ 4/- 3/10½ 4/1½ 4/- -/0¾
Luiri, 3/6
Lydenburg Est., -/11¾†† -/11 1/-
Do., 4% Deb., 75‡
Messina (Transvaal), 11/3 -/10½
Meyer and Charlton, 12/9
Modderfontein Deep Levels, 23/3‡
N'Changa, 48/9 7/6 6/3 7/6 8/9 9/4½ 7/6 8/9 50/- -/3¾ -/7½ 46/3 51/3 50/7½ 1/3 50/3 50/- 46/3 51/3 50/7½ 50/- 1/10½ -/10½ 2/6 45/7½ -/11¼
New Era Cons., 4/6
New State Areas, 37/6 7/- -/9 7/-
Northern Rhodesia, 3/9
Nourse, 8/7½ -/7½
Oceana Cons., -/10½
Potgietersrust, 1/9†† -/6¾
Rand Mines, 60/-
Rand Select., 8/3 -/3¾ -/9 7/9 8/- -/7½ -/4½
Randfontein Ests., 7/-†† 6/10½ 7/- 6/3‡ -/11¼ -/11¼ -/6‡ 7/-
Real Est. of South Africa, 15/3
Rhodesia Broken Hill, 1/10½ -/10½ -/11¼ 2/-
Rhodesia Copper and Gen., 2/8¼
Rhodesia Minerals, 7/-
Rhodesian Anglo-American, 23/1½ -/1½ 4/4½ 5/- 2/6 5/3¾
Rhodesian Congo Border, 14 9/32 14 14 ⅛ 13⅞
Rhodesian Corp., 1/7½‡ -/7½ -/10½
Rhodesian Select., 32/6 -/6 4/8¼ 5/- 30/7½ 5/-
Roan Antelope, 25/- 5/- 5/- -/6 4/8¼ 5/7½
Do., 7% Deb. (ex-opt.) (iss. at 99, £34 pd.), 23†† 2 ⅛ 3 2⅛
Do., Opt. Certs., 3/6 4/3 -/3 -/1½ -/7½ -/4½
Robinson Deep, "B," 8/4½ -/5¼ -/3
Sekukwe, 2/9¾ -/10½ -/10½ -/10½ -/9
S. African Townships, 8/3¾
S.-West Africa Co., 16/6 -/7½
Sthn. Rhodesia Base, 11/6¾†† 12/3 11/10½
Springs, 67/6 6/6¾ 7/- 6/6¾ -/10½ 7/6
Sub Nigel, 45/3 -/7½ 5/- 4/8¼ -/9 7/6 5/11¼ -/11¼ 4/8¼ -/8¼ 5/11¼ 6/3 -/9 8/1½ 6/10½ 7/6 6/6¾ -/10½ 7/3 -/6 8/- 5/7½ -/11¼ 6/3 5/7½ 8/- 7/2¼ -/6
Transv. Exploring Land, -/9
Van Ryn Deep, 31/3 30/11¼ 1/3 -/6 30/11¼ 1/3
Village Deep, 3/0½ 3/- -/1½ 3/-
West Springs, 12/11¼
Willoughby's Cons., 8/7½ -/4½ -/4½

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES.—WEST AFRICAN

Assd. Tin of Nigeria, 5/4½ -/6¾ -/3‡ -/3 -/4½
Bibiani, 5/7½
Bisichi, 6/3
Lyndhurst Deep Level, -/2¾ -/3½ -/3¼ -/3½
Taquah and Abosso, 2/3¾ -/5½ -/3¾

NITRATE

Anglo-Chilean, 7% Deb., 98 9/16
Lautaro, Nos. 24001 to 430000 and 590001 to 1312000, (Bearer), 60/- 2/6
Do., 6½% Deb., 95

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Lautaro, 84¾ ½

OIL

Anglo-Ecuadorian, 15/6 -/7½‡ 15/- -/6
Anglo-Persian, 82/2¼ -/9¾ 3/1½ 2/6 -/6 -/3 -/2¼ 3/1½
Do., 8% Pref., 26/6 7/- 7/- 6/9¾ -/9 -/6
Do., 9% Pref., 30/1½ 30/- 29/9
Do., 5% Deb., 99¼
Attock, 23/5¼
Burmah, 87/6 -/6 -/2¼ 6/10½ -/10½ 7/6 6/3
Do., 6% Pref., 22/4½ 3/-Δ
Do., 6% 2nd Pref., 10⅛
Do., 8% Pref., 27/6
Do., 5½% Deb., 102¼ ½ 3¼ ¼ 3
Canadian Eagle, 11/9†† -/8¼ -/9 -/7½ -/7½ -/7½ -/9 -/6¾
Do., 1st Pref. (7%), 12/5¼†† -/7½ -/5¼ -/6
Kern River, 4/7½ -/4½ -/4½ -/6 -/6
Lobitos, 39/4½
Mexican Eagle, 12/1½ -/3 12/- 12/- -/0¾
Do., 7% Pref., 8/3
Phoenix and Transport, £1 shares, 11/1½ -/0¾
Do., 1/- shares, 5/6 -/7½
Royal Dutch, 31⅞ 15/16 1 1/16 ⅝ 13/16 ¾ 13/16
"Shell" (Regd.), 94/4½ -/4½ -/4½ 90/7½‡ 3/9 4/0¾ 1/10½‡ 4/0¾ -/0¾ 90/9‡ 4/- 3/5¼
Do., (Bearer), 94/4½ -/0¾ -/6 3/9 4/4½ -/4½ -/6 -/4½ -/6 -/8¼ -/8¼
Do., 5% Pref., 9⅞
Do., 7% Pref., 25/1½ -/1½ -/3¾ 4/11¼ 5/1½
Spies, -/2¼ -/3¼

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Anglo-Amer., 72/9††
Anglo-Egyptian, "B," 40/7½
Apex, 20/3¾ 19/10½
Brit.-Borneo, 9/7½ -/9
Brit. Controlled, 3/6 -/7½ -/7½ -/7½
Do., 7% Prefd., 6/9¾ -/9¾ 7/- 7/- 6/11¼
Petrol. Storage and Finance, Defd., 2/3¾
Do., Option Certs., 1/4½
Service, Prefd., 4/6 5/-
Shell, New 7% 2nd Pref. (iss. at 25/-, 15/- pd.), 13/10½ 14/1½ -/0¾ -/3 13/10½ 14/- 13/11¼ 14/1½ -/1½ 14/- 13/11¼
Do., fully pd., 24/1½ -/3‡ -/3 -/1½ -/3 -/1½ -/3 -/2¼
Steaua Romana, 8/4½
Tocuyo, 12/9‡
Trinidad Leaseholds, 54/-†† 2/6
Venezuelan Cons., 6/9
Venezuelan Concessions, 50/-
Do., New, fully pd., 47/6

RUBBER

Allied Sumatra, 11/4½ -/9 -/6
Anglo-Dutch of Java, 26/3
Anglo-Java, 2/0½ -/0¾ -/0½
Bertam, 3/2 -/3¾
Bukit Rajah, 11/6
Chersonese, 2/0½†† -/1†† -/1½†† 1/10½
Dunlop, 6% Pref., 19/7½†† -/3 -/6
Gd. Central, 14/1½ -/1½
Labu, 26/10½
Laras, 1/8
Lond. Asiatic, 3/6½
Malacca, 21/-†† -/10½‡ 20/7½ 1/- 20/9 -/7½
Do., 6% Deb., 102½†† 3††
Mendaris, 13/1½
Merlimau Pegoh, 1/9¾ -/11¼
Perak, 2/4½ -/4½
Rani Travancore, 6/6
Sapong, 16/3††
Sialang, 18/1½ 19/-
Sumatra Consold., 12/6
Sumatra Para, 2/0¼
Telogoredjo Ud. Plant., 7% Deb., 101½ 1 2½ 3
Ud. Serdang, 2/8†† -/9 -/9
Ud. Sua Betong, 46/10½ -/10½

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Allagar, 1/6
Badek, 23/9 5/-
Bangawan, -/8½ -/7½
Bantam, 1/7½
Batang, -/11
Beau Sejour, -/5
Bikam, 1/6 -/6¾ -/5
Brit. Est. of Java, 1/4½ -/4½ -/0¾
Bukit Kajang, 16/3 -/9
Bukit Selangor, -/8
Cheviot, 2/6
Cicely, 3/6¾ -/9
Dahan, -/8¼
Eaglehurst, -/6½
Golconda Malay, 14/6††
Gopeng, 4/- 3/9
Hongkong (Selangor), 46/3
Kali Glagah (Java), 1/7½ -/9
Kali (Java), 1/4½
Kepong, 4/9 -/3¾
Kuala Geh, -/9
Kuran, 6/- 6/-
Layang, -/9
Madingley, 1/3
Malayalam Plants., 19/3†† 18/9
Medini, 25/-
Pantiya, 2/11¼††
Pataling, 18/- 17/-
Pantani Para, 2/9†† -/6
Peacock and Nilambe, 2/5¼
Pilmoor, 19/6 19/- 19/-
Port Dickson-Lukut, 1/7½
Rembau Jelei, 19/- 18/9 19/1½ -/1½
Rubber of Krian, 1/2¼
Seafield, 16/3‡
Selama, 1/4½
Sempah, 8/3 7/9¾
Straits, 14/6
Sumatra Para, New, -/1 pm.
Sungei Puntar, -/11½††
Sungei Tukong, -/10½ -/10½
Tal Tak, -/8 -/7½
Tambira, 23/6
Tenom, 5/-Δ
Timbang-Deli, -/9¼
United Temiang, 1/6
Vallambrosa, 9/9 -/9
Waterfall, -/11
Yunnan, -/5¼

SHIPPING

Anchor, 5½% Pref., 8 3/16
Arg. Navign., 16/3
Brit. and Argentn., 4½% Debs., 93¼††
Cie. Gén. Trans., 6½% Obgs., 99
Cunard, 19/10½ -/9 20/- 20/- 20/- -/3 19/9 20/3 19/9
Do., 6% Pref., 99
Danube Nav., 5½% Debs., 95¾
Elder, Dempster, 6% Pref., 3/9 -/9
Furness, Withy, 32/3
Nelson, 5% Deb., 96½ ¾
Orient, 6½% Pref., 21/3
P. and O., 5% Prefd., 89¼ ½ ½
Do., Defd., 43/3 -/3 -/3 2/6 3/4½†† -/6
R.M.S.P., 22
Do., 6½% Pref., 35 3 3 1
Do., 5% Deb., 60 60
Union-Castle, 6½% Pref., 13/- 12/-
Do., 6% Deb., 92
Union of N. Zealand, 5½% Pref., 18/7½
White Star, 6½% Pref., 11/9†† -/9 -/6 -/6 -/6 12/- 11/8¼

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Tankers, Ptg. Pref., 7/3
Do., 5% Certs. (Reg.), 27‡
Ud. British, 8/6

TEA AND COFFEE

Assam, 29/-
Assd. of Ceylon, 17/- 16/3 -/3
Doom, Dooma, 76/-
Jokai, 54/9 3/9 4/9 -/9
Jorehaut, 60/- 58/9 -/9 60/-
Lebong, 80/-
Nedeem, 33/-
Rajawella, 18/1½
Do., 6% Pref., 17/6 16/7½
Singlo, 43/9 4/4½ 3/9
Do., 6½% Pref., 18/7½ -/10½

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Bargang, 25/- 5/-
Bogawantalawa, 66/3
Koralc, 6% Pref., 17/3 -/9
Lunuva, 39/6 40/- 40/- 39/6
Maleber, 27/6
Moabund, 5% Pref., 14/3 -/6
Poonmudi, 1/6¼ -/8¼
Travancore, 49/- 9/-

TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES

American, 4½% Bds., 217 ½ 18
Anglo-Amer., 58¾
Do., 6% Prefd., 102½††
Do., Defd., 23¾ ¾
Anglo-Portuguese, 20/6 -/6
Cables and Wireless, 7½%, 35†† 8 ¼ 8 7½‡ 8 7 8½ ¼ 7½ ¾ 7 ½ ½ 8¼ ½
Do., "B," 17 ½‡ 16¾ 17¾ 16½‡ 17 16¾ 17 ¼ ½
Do., 5½% Pref., 87¼ 6 7 ¾ ¾ ½‡ ¾ ¼ ½ 7 ½ 7 ½ 6½ 7¼ 8
Eastern, 4% Deb., 74½
Internat., 45½ 5 ½ ½ 5 6 5 6
Marconi Intl. Marine, 32/- 4/- 4/- 3/6 -/3 2/-
Oriental, 53/3
Do., 7% Pref., 22/3

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Canadian Marconi, 22/4½
Radio Corp. of America, $39⅜†† 7½ ½ ⅞ ¾ ¾ ¼ ¾ ½ ⅞ 8 7¼ ⅞ 8

TRAMWAYS AND OMNIBUS

Anglo-Argentine, 5½% Pref., 52/6 -/6 6/3 5/- 5/-
Do., 4% Deb., 72 ½ 2 ½
Do., 5%, 67 8
Brazilian Trac., 40¾†† 1¼ ⅛ ¼ ¼ ½ ⅛ 1 ⅜ ½ ⅜ 5/16 ⅜ 5/16 1 1 ⅜ 5/16 ⅝ ⅛ ½ 7/16 7/16 7/16
Brit. Columbia, 4¼% Deb., 81⅜
Brit. Elect., 8% Prefd., 128 8
Do., 6% Ptg. Pref., 132
Do., 5% Deb., 97¼ 6½
City of B.A., 86/3
E. Kent, 30/9¾
Lond. and Suburban, 5% Pref., 9/9
Do., 4½% Deb., 76††
L.G.O.C., 5% Deb., 96½
Mexico, 5% Bds., 66 ½ 7 6 7
Nat. Omnibus, 27/6 -/1½
Do., 7% Pref., 20/6††
Rio de Janeiro, 5% 50-yr. Bds., 87 ½ 7 ½
Sao Paulo, 5% Deb., 86 ½
Singapore Traction, 7% Pref., 18/6 -/1½

SUPPLEMENTARY PRICES

Aldershot and Dist., 21/3
B'ham and Dist., 6% Pref., 20/1½‡
Brit. Elec. Traction, New Defd., 15 ¼ 15 ⅛ ¼ 15 ⅜ ¼ ⅜ ⅜ ⅛
East Kent, 6½% Pref., 20/9 -/7½ -/9
National, New 7% Pref., 20/4½ 19/9
Tilling and British, 43/- 2/- 3/-

WATER WORKS

S. Staffordshire, 5½% Pref., 101 1
Do., 4% Deb., 77 7

OFFICIAL PRICE CHANGES

PUBLIC BOARDS.—RISE.—Central Electricity Bd. (4%, 1959-89) 1 to 82-84.

DOMINION GOVERNMENT INSCRIBED.—RISE.—Nigeria (4%, 1963) 1 to 86-88.

FOREIGN CORPORATION.—RISE.—Riga (4½%, 1913) 1 to 32-35. FALL.—Mexico (5% Assented 1/7/22) 1 to 11-15. Pelotas (5%, 1911) 2 to 72-76. Pernambuco (5%) 2 to 70-75. Rosario (4% Stg. Conv. Ln.) 1 to 55-57. Santa Fé (6% Bds.) 1½ to 26-29.

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT.—RISE.—Chilian (5% Annuities "C") 1 to 92-94. Cordoba (2½%-4% Bds.) 1 to 68-72. FALL.—Brazilian (4½%, 1888) ½ to 66½-68½. Colombian (6% Bds., 1913) 1 to 88-90. Estonia (7%, 1927) ½ to 88-90. Minas Geraes (6½% Ln., 1928) 1 to 81-84. San Luis Potosi (6%, 1889) 1 to 4-7.

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT, PAYABLE ABROAD.—FALL.—French (3% Rentes) ¼ to 17-18.

AMERICAN RAILS.—RISE.—Erie (4% 2nd Prefd.) 1 to 57-62. FALL.—Kansas City Sthn. 1 to 68-71.

FOREIGN RAILS.—RISE.—B.A. and Pac. (4½% Cons. Deb.) ½ to 76½-78½. FALL.—Antofag. (Pref.) 1 to 78-80. Benguella (5% Debs., Ser. "A," "B," "C," and "D") ½ to 70-72. Entre Rios (1st Pref.) ½ to 91-93. G.W. of Brazil ¼ to 2⅛-2⅝. ditto (Prefd.) ¼ to 5-5½. Internat. of C. America (Prefd.) 1 to 74-77. Mexican (6% Perp. Deb.) 2 to 58-62. Utd. of Havana (Pref.) 1½ to 14-18.

BANKS.—RISE.—Midland (50s. shares) 1/16 to 9 1/16-9 5/16. FALL.—Martins (£1 shares) 6d. to 62/0-64/0.

BREWERIES.—RISE.—Brakspear (W. H.) (Deb. Stk.) 2 to 68-72. Oldfield (Deb.) 2 to 76-79.

CANALS.—FALL.—Suez 2 to 138-148.

COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL, &c.—RISE.—Kreuger and Toll (Ptg. Debs.) ¼ to 29½-30½. Lyons (J.) 1/16 to 4 11/16-4 15/16. Sears (J.) (True-Form Boot) (Deb. Stk.) 1 to 103-106. Unilever (Ord. Sub-shares of 12ß.) 3/32 to 2⅜-2⅝. FALL.—Agar, Cross and Co. ⅛ to 2½-2⅞. Allied Newsprs. ⅛ to 1⅛-1¼. Amal. Press 1/16 to 1-1⅛. Assoc. Newsprs. (Defd.) 1/16 to 1 5/16-1 7/16. Brunswick-Balke-Collender 1 to 15-18. De la Rue (Thos.) and Co. ⅛ to ⅜-½. Drage's (10% Pref.) 1/16 to 1⅛-1¼. Egyptian Mkts. 1/16 to 1 1/16-1 5/16. Handley-Page (10% Pref.) 1/32 to 9/16-11/16. Home and Colonial (15% Ord.) 1/16 to 2⅛-2⅜. Imp. Chemical Industries (7% Pref.) 3d. to 23/0-23/9. Imp. Cold Storage ⅛ to ⅛-⅜. Ingersoll-Rand 3 to 185-195. Inveresk Paper ⅛ to 5/16-5/16. Liebig's Ext. of Meat (Reg.) ¼ to 14½-15½. ditto (Bearer) ¼ to 14½-15½. Nestlé and Anglo-Sw. Cond. Milk (Pref.) 1/32 to 1 13/32-1 15/32. P.C.T. Constructn. (Pref.) 6d. to 19/0-20/0. Selfridge Provl. Stores 10½d. to 15/32-17/32. Standard Chem. 4 to 25-30.

ELECTRIC L. AND P.—RISE.—Pennsylvania 8 to 80-85. FALL.—Lancs. (7% Ptg. Pfce.) 6d. to 25/6-27/6. Scottish 6d. to 26/6-28/6.

FINANCIAL TRUSTS.—RISE.—Lond. and S. Am. Investment (Deb.) 4 to 90-92. FALL.—Lloyd (Edw.) (Deb. Stk.) 1 to 84-88.

INVESTMENT TRUSTS.—FALL.—Foreign, American, and General (Def.) 1 to 190-195. Foreign and Colonial 2 to 200-205. Standard 1 to 161-166.

IRON, COAL, AND STEEL.—RISE.—Baker Perkins (7% Pref.) 1/32 to 1-1⅛. United States Steel 5 to 166-169. FALL.—Baldwins (6½% Inc. Deb.) 1 to 54-59. Dominion Iron and Steel (5% Bds.) 2½ to 93-97. ditto (Ldn. Deposit Rects.) 2½ to 93-97. Dominion Steel Corp. (6% Pref.) 5 to 30-40. ditto (Ldn. Deposit Rects.) 5 to 30-40. North's Navigation Collieries 3d. to 3d.-1/3. Richard Thomas (6½% Pref.) 3d. to 9/6-10/6.

MINES.—RISE.—Tharsis (Bearer) ⅛ to 3⅜-3⅞. FALL.—Anaconda ¼ to 9¼-10¼. De Beers (Pref., Bearer) ⅛ to 11⅞-12⅛. South Crofty 3d. to 2/9-3/3.

OIL.—RISE.—Anglo-Ecuadorian 6d. to 15/0-16/0. Mexican Eagle (8% Pref., Bearer) 1½d. to 11/10½-12/4½. FALL.—Canadian Eagle (Ptg. Pref.) 3d. to 11/9-12/3. Phoenix Oil and Transport (Nos. 1-1,000,000) 3d. to 5/3-5/9.

RUBBER.—RISE.—Sapong 1/16 to 11/16-15/16.

SHIPPING.—RISE.—Anchor Line (5½% Pref.) ⅛ to 7⅞-8⅜. Union Castle (6% "A" Pref.) 6d. to 11/6-13/6. ditto (6½% Pref.) 6d. to 12/0-14/0. FALL.—Argentine Navigation 6d. to 16/0-18/0. Cie. Général Transatlantique (6½% Obgs.) 1 to 97-100. Elder, Dempster (6½% A Pref.) 6d. to 3/0-5/0. P. & O. (5% Prefd.) 1 to 89-92.

TEA AND COFFEE.—FALL.—Rajawella (6% Pref.) 1/16 to 13/16-15/16. Singlo (6½% Pref.) 1/16 to ⅞-1.

TELEGRAPH.—FALL.—Eastern (4% Deb.) 2 to 74-78.

TRAMWAYS.—FALL.—Anglo-Argentine (5½% 1st Pref.) 1/16 to 2⅛-2⅞.

WATER WORKS.—RISE.—Monte Video (5% 1st Deb.) 2½ to 84-87.

BRAZILIAN MARKETS

RIO DE JANEIRO, June 17.—EXCHANGE on London advanced 1/16d. to 5 5/8d. The COFFEE market closed steady, with No. 7 N.Y. standard unchanged at 14$025. Receipts were 9,000 bags, making 2,907,000 bags for the season to date, against 2,897,000 bags a year ago. No clearances were reported and the stock has increased to 311,000 bags, which compares with 277,000 bags a year ago. At SANTOS No. 4 N.Y. standard again quoted 21$000. Receipts were 26,000 bags, increasing the season's aggregate to 9,352,000 bags, against 8,542,000 bags a year ago. Clearances were 5,000 bags to Europe. The stock shows an increase at 1,178,000 bags and compares with 1,153,000 bags a year ago.

HOME COMMERCIAL MARKETS

GRAIN AND FARM PRODUCE

LONDON (THE BALTIC EXCHANGE), June 18.—WHEAT. Influenced by the recovery in American closing prices, the market opened firm, sellers raising their limits by 6d. per qr. Buyers, however, refused to pay the advance asked, and at the close business was possible at yesterday's levels. Pacific white, June, July, and Aug., was held for 37s. 6d.; and No. 2 hard winter (Gulf), July, for 36s. For Rosafe, 62½lb., June 15, 36s. 9d. was required, and 36s. 3d. for Baril, 62½lb., June. Australian, on the way and shipping-shipped, was obtainable at 40s.; and choice white Karachi, July, at 37s. 6d. Parcels, after opening firm at 6d. to 1s. advance owing to the large business of yesterday, closed quiet on disappointing initial advices from the other side at a net gain of 3d. per qr. No. 2 Northern Manitoba (Vancouver), per Benmohr, just sailed, sold at 37s. 7½d. net; and West Australian, per Nuddea, b/l June 4, at 39s.

The wheat futures market closed easy at 6d. to 10½d. under yesterday. Business was done in Manitoba grade, Nov., at 36s. 10½d. to 37s. 5½d.

Per 480lb.	Opening values	1.15 value	3.15 call	Closing values	Prev. closing values
	MANITOBA GRADE				
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
July	37 1	36 5½	36 5	36 0	36 9
Nov.	38 1	37 5	37 4½	36 10½	37 9
	LONDON GRADE				
July	35 0	34 7	34 7	34 3	34 9
Sept.	35 3	34 10	34 10	34 6	35 0

MAIZE ruled steadier in sympathy with firmer Argentine freight rates, but trading continued quiet. Late yesterday, 6,153 tons La Plata, per Monkswood, B/L June 15, was sold in parcels in Antwerp at about 23s. 4½d. and 23s. 6d. For La Plata, just sailed, 23s. 9d. to 24s. 9d. was asked according to position, and 23s. 6d. for shipping-shipped; July and Aug. was offered at 23s. Dan./Gal./Fox on passage, was obtainable at 22s. 6d., and Aug. at 23s. Parcels were in quiet request at occasionally 3d. per quarter advance. La Plata, per Holystone, afloat, sold at 23s. 3d.; May-June, at 23s.; July-Aug., at 22s. 1½d.; and Aug.-Sept., at 22s. 3d.

BARLEY continued quiet at recent prices. Black Sea, Sept., sold at 14s. 3d. to Avonmouth.

OATS were the turn steadier. La Plata, July, 11s. 6d.; and Aug., 11s. 9d.

At MARK-LANE trading was quiet in all sections. English wheat was in poor request at 37s. to 37s. 6d. per 504lb. Foreign wheat was irregular in price. No. 1 Northern Manitoba (Atlantic), ex ship, 42s. 3d.; (Vancouver), 42s.; No. 2, 41s. 3d.; (Atlantic), 41s. 6d.; No. 3 (Vancouver), 40s. 9d.; No. 4 Manitoba, 39s. 6d.; No. 5 (Atlantic), 37s. 3d.; No. 6, 32s.; No. 2 mixed durum, 34s. 9d.; No. 2 hard winter, 38s. 9d.; Rosafe, 62lb., 38s. 9d.; Baruso, 62½lb., 38s. 3d.; Australian, 41s. 6d.; and choice white Karachi, 39s. 3d. per 496lb. Flour continued quiet. London straight run, 35s. to 36s.; and country straight run, 29s. 6d. to 30s. 6d. per 280lb. Maize was occasionally the turn easier. La Plata, landed (old), 25s. 3d.; (new), 25s. 9d.; ex ship (old), 24s.; (new), 24s. 6d.; and Bessarabian, ex ship, 23s. 6d. per 480lb. Barley remained quiet. English malting, 29s. to 34s.; English feed, 26s. to 28s. 6d.; Californian, 34s. to 40s.; Chilean brewing, ex store, 33s. to 37s.; and Smyrna, landed, 34s. to 36s. per 448lb. Persian, landed, 16s.; Russian, 16s. 9d. to 17s. 9d.; and ex ship, 15s. 6d. per 400lb. Oats marked very little change. English, 17s. to 20s. 6d.; and Scotch, landed, 21s. per 3cwt. La Plata, landed, 13s. 6d.; ex ship, 12s. 3d.; mixed feed, landed, 12s.; Chilean tawny, 15s.; Chilean white, 19s. 6d.; and German, ex ship, 17s. per 336lb. Wheat feed dull at late rates. Middlings, 4s. 3d. to 4s. 9d.; fine middlings, 6s.; and bran, 3s. 6d. to 4s. 6d. per 112lb. Oatmeal inactive. Fine Midlothian, 18s.; Scotch, 12s. 9d.; American, 15s.; and American and Canadian rolled oats, 16s. per 112lb.

LIVERPOOL, June 18.—WHEAT.—Shipment parcels opened 9d. to 1s. per quarter higher, but eased later, and closed about 6d. up on the day. No business was reported. No. 1 N. Manitoba, June, was quoted 39s.; No. 2, 38s.; No. 3, 37s. 3d.; No. 4 Manitoba, June, 36s. 9d.; No. 5, 33s. 9d.; No. 6, 28s. 6d.; No. 2 mixed durum, June, 31s. 9d.; No. 1 hard winter, June, 36s.; No. 2, 35s.; Rosafe, 62½lb., afloat, 36s.; due July 8, 36s. 3d.; Rosafe, 63½lb., loading, 36s. 7½d.; Baril, 62½lb., June, 36s.; Baruso, 62½lb., June, 35s. 9d.; choice white Karachi, early July, 37s. 3d.; July, 37s.; Australian, about loading, 40s. Spot parcels were quiet and further 1d. per cental lower. Graded wheat futures opened ¾d. to 1¼d. per cental higher on firmer American and Canadian advices, but quickly gave way owing to local and Continental liquidation and a poor milling demand. Opening cables from the other side gave no encouragement, and the market closed easy, 1½d. to 1¼d. lower on the day. Sales were 350 loads.

GRADED WHEAT FUTURES

Per 100lb.	Open'g values	Business done: Highest	Business done: Lowest	Official settlement prices	Closing values	Prev. closing values
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
July	7 6¼	7 6⅜	7 4¼	7 5	7 4⅜	7 5½
Oct.	7 7¾	7 7¾	7 5⅛	7 6	7 5⅜	7 6½
Dec.	7 8½	7 8½	7 6⅛	7 7	7 6¼	7 7½

MAIZE.—Shipment parcels of La Plata and Danubian were quiet at about late rates. La Plata, afloat, near, was quoted 24s. and distant 23s. 6d. per quarter; May-June, 23s. 3d.; June-July and July-Aug., 22s. 4½d.; Aug.-Sept., 22s. 6d.; Dan.-Gal.-Fox., afloat, nominally quoted 22s. 3d.; June-July, July-Aug. and Aug.-Sept., 21s. 9d.; Sept., 22s. 4½d.; Oct., 22s. 7½d.; No. 2 white flat African, June-July and July-Aug., 23s.; and No. 6 round yellow African, June-July and July-Aug., 22s. 6d. Spot parcels were quiet.

OATS.—Shipment parcels were dull; Chilean, tawny, July-Aug. and Aug.-Sept., 13s.; La Plata, f.a.q., June, 11s. 6d., sellers.

FLOUR was quiet and unchanged.

COTTON

LIVERPOOL, June 18.—The spot demand expanded rather sharply to-day, spinners buying more freely, attracted by the low level of prices. A fair business was done in American, and quotations were raised 5 points: Middling 7.55d. Brazilian and Peruvian were also 5 points better: Pernam fair 6.85d., g.f. smooth 7.85d., and G.F. Tanguis 8.10d. Egyptian advanced 15 to 25 points: F.G.F. Sakel. 12.45d. and F.G.F. Upper 8.98d. African were 5 points higher: Middling West 7.45d. and G.F. East 8.10d. East Indian remained at previous rates: Fine M.G. Broach 5.25d. and fine No. 1 Oomra 4.60d.

American futures opened 1 point to 4 points lower in sympathy with overnight advices, but selling was moderate, and the market became steadier under some scattered Continental buying and covering by local shorts. At midday the market was 1 point higher to 1 point lower. The tendency became reactionary in the afternoon owing to disappointing opening advices from New York accompanied by selling for account of an American house in consequence of a failure in New York. The setback was partially recovered towards the end of the session owing to trade calling and local covering, the close being quietly steady at 1 point advance to 3 points decline. Liverpool closing prices:—July, 7.05; Oct., 6.90; Jan., 6.93; March, 6.99. New York 11 a.m. prices:—July, 13.51; Oct., 13.07; Jan., 12.92; March, 13.15.

Egyptian Futures.—Sakellaridis contracts opened 2 points lower, but later advanced 28 to 32 points in sympathy with a sharp rise in Alexandria due to the reported intervention by the Egyptian Government. Realizing came out on the advance, and the close was quiet at a rise of 14 to 15 points. Closing prices:—June, 11.20; July to Sept., 11.30; Oct., 11.35; Nov., 11.31; Dec., 11.28; Jan., 11.42; Feb., 11.55; March, 11.54; April, 11.61; May and June, 11.64. Upper contracts closed quiet at an advance of 7 to 17 points, with Sept. exceptionally 35 points higher. Closing values:—June, 8.62; July, 8.69; Aug., 8.64; Sept., 8.62; Oct., 8.34; Nov., 8.35; Dec., 8.38; Jan., 8.45; Feb., 8.50; March, 8.56; April, 8.59; May, 8.63; June, 8.65.

Empire futures closed quiet, unchanged to 2 points higher. Closing prices:—June, 6.98; July, 6.95; Aug., 6.97; Sept., 6.96; Oct. to Dec., 6.81; Jan., 6.82; Feb., 6.87; March 6.91; April, 6.88; May, 6.95; June, 6.88.

Description	Sales: To-day	Sales: So far this week	Export: To-day	Export: So far this week	Imports: To-day	Imports: So far this week
American	2,300	4,230	100	300	1,442	7,364
Brazilian, &c.	600	1,360	100	100	—	1,575
Peruvian, &c.	1,300	1,750	—	—	—	907
African, &c.	100	1,140	—	1,000	323	1,280
Egyptian, &c.	1,500	2,300	—	—	2,622	9,041
E. Indies, &c.	200	220	—	—	17,998	21,051
Totals—This week	6,000	11,000	200	1,400	22,385	41,218
Last week	3,000	5,000	100	200	4,898	6,081

Amer. Futures Delivery	To-day: Hight	To-day: L'west	To-day: Closing	Prev. day: Hight	Prev. day: L'west	Prev. day: Closing
June	—	—	7.10	7.01	6.91	7.09
July	7.08	6.98	7.05	7.06	6.84	7.04
August	—	—	6.99	—	—	6.99
September	—	—	6.94	—	—	6.95
October	6.94	6.85	6.90	6.94	6.75	6.91
November	—	—	6.89	—	—	6.89
December	6.93	6.87	6.90	6.94	6.75	6.90
January	6.97	6.88	6.93	6.97	6.77	6.93
February	—	—	6.95	—	—	6.96
March	7.04	6.96	6.99	7.04	6.85	7.01
April	—	—	7.01	—	—	7.03
May	7.09	7.02	7.04	7.10	6.91	7.07
June	—	—	7.06	—	—	7.09

MANCHESTER, June 18.—Business in cloth was again difficult, for although numerous inquiries were received buyers had little confidence in values, and would only purchase sparingly. The boycott in India was reported by some shippers to be more intense, and they stated that deliveries were being interfered with seriously. Calcutta, Madras, and Karachi still took small quantities of light goods, but bulk operations were not mentioned. South America purchased coloured strip shirtings in moderate lots. Business was reported in finishing cloths and specialities for West and South Africa. Greys and whites sold quietly for Egypt, and certain producers for the home trade sold fair quantities. Sales of American and Egyptian yarns were poor. Rumours were current that a number of mills spinning American counts would be closing down before long.

WOOL

LIVERPOOL, June 18.—To-day's catalogues totalled 5,981 bales, which represented a good selection of wool, also 171 bales of goat hair and 414 bales of Persian Gulf and Bussorah wool. There was again a fair attendance of buyers, but competition at times ruled irregular, and prices were unaltered, compared with the opening level.

SEEDS AND OILS

LONDON (THE BALTIC EXCHANGE), June 18.—LINSEED was slow with Indian descriptions 2s. 6d. higher, but La Plata 2s. 6d. per ton down. Calcutta, June-July and July-Aug., to London, £17 17s. 6d.; bold Bombay, similar position, £18 7s. 6d., sellers; La Plata, June-July and July-Aug., to Hull, £16 13s. 9d.; Aug.-Sept., £16 16s. 3d., sellers. RAPESEED was quiet. Toria, June-July and July-Aug., to Hull-Continent, £14 7s. 6d.; Jamba, June-July, £9, sellers. COTTONSEED was steady but quiet. Egyptian Black, July, to Hull, £6 13s. 9d.; Aug., £6 15s.; Sept. (new), £7 2s. 6d.; Sakellaridis, July, £6 3s. 9d., and Aug., £6 5s., sellers; Bombay, June-July, £6, sellers. CASTORSEED was quiet. Bombay, June-July, to Hull, £14, sellers. GROUNDNUTS were quiet. Coromandel machined, June-July, to Rotterdam/Hamburg, £13 17s. 6d.; July-Aug., £13 18s. 9d.; Aug.-Sept., £14 6s. 3d., sellers. PALMKERNELS were steadier. To Liverpool/Hamburg, June-July, £12 2s. 6d.; July-Aug., £12 3s. 9d.; Aug.-Sept., £12 7s. 6d. sellers; buyers 2s. 6d. less. LINSEED OIL was steady for near, but 2s. 6d. to 10s. lower forward. Spot, ex mill, £43 nominal; June, £40 5s.; July-Aug., £39; Sept.-Dec., £36 10s., naked. RAPE OIL was neglected. Crude extracted, £36; technical refined, £37 10s., naked, ex wharf. COTTON OIL was quiet. Egyptian crude, £27 10s.; refined common edible, £32 10s.; deodorized, £34 10s., naked, ex mill. TURPENTINE was quiet. American, spot, 40s. 9d.; July to Dec., 39s. 6d per cwt.

HULL, June 18.—LINSEED.—Closing prices, £41 15s. for spot; June, £41 5s.; July-Aug., £39 17s. 6d.; Sept.-Dec., £37 12s. 6d. per ton, naked. COTTON OIL.—Egyptian, crude, spot, £27 10s.; edible, refined, spot, £30 10s.; technical, spot, £30 15s.; deodorized, spot, £32 10s. per ton, naked. PALM KERNEL OIL.—Crude, 5½ per cent., spot, £28 10s. per ton, naked. GROUNDNUT OIL.—Crushed/extracted, spot, £31; deodorized, spot, £35 per ton. SOYA OIL.—Extracted and crushed, spot, £28 10s.; deodorized, spot, £32 per ton. RAPE OIL.—Crushed/extracted, spot, £34; refined, spot, £36 per ton. TURPENTINE, CASTOR OIL, and COD OIL unchanged.

LUBRICATING AND FUEL OILS

LONDON, June 18.—FUEL OIL.—Furnace, 950 gravity, £3 7s. 6d.; bunker, 950 gravity, £3 7s. 6d.; Diesel, 910 gravity, £4 8s. 6d. per ton, in tanks, Thameshaven and Purfleet. Gas oil, 4½d. per gallon. LUBRICATING OILS.—American, pale machine, £9 10s. to £14 10s., heavy red, £11 to £16, and light red, £10 to £13 15s.; cold test filtered cylinder, £23 to £32 10s.; filtered cylinder, £21 10s. to £32 10s.; 600 dark cylinder, Pennsylvania, £20 10s., and Western, £11 10s.; 650 dark cylinder, £23, all per ton, less 2½ per cent. discount, barrels free.

The following foreign quotations are for oil, ex installation, in bulk, at the ports named:—New York.—Fuel oil, $1.15; diesel, $2.00 per barrel. Baton Rouge.—Fuel oil, $1.00; diesel, $1.80 per barrel. Buenos Aires.—Fuel oil, £3 2s. per metric ton. Istanbul.—Fuel oil, $12.50 per ton (long).

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN PRODUCE

LONDON, June 18.—SUGAR.—British refined in fair request at last prices. Tate's London and Lyle's No. 2 granulated, 21s. 6d.; T L granulated, 21s. 3d. Home-grown granulated, prompt, ex Ely, Ipswich, and Cantley, quoted 20s. 7½d. (3d. less ex London); Anglo-Scottish, prompt, ex factory, 20s. 7½d. to 20s. 10½d.; West Indian crystallized, spot, 20s. 6d. to 22s. 9d.; white Java, July-Sept. and Oct.-Dec., 8s. 4½d., c. and f., India. Czech granulated, prompt, 8s., f.o.b., Hamburg; Dutch granulated, prompt, 8s. 4½d., f.o.b., Rotterdam. Polish crystals prompt, 7s. 9d., f.o.b., Danzig. Raw sugar was easier. preferentials, 96 per cent., June-July, quoted 10s. 4½d.; value; San Domingo and/or Cuban, 96 per cent., July, 6s. 7½d.; Aug., 6s. 8¼d.; Sept., 6s. 10½d.; Oct., 6s. 11¼d., sellers.

White sugar futures were inactive. Calls:—

Month	10.30 a.m. Sellers	10.30 a.m. Buyers	3.15 p.m. Sellers	3.15 p.m. Buyers	4.15 p.m. Sellers	4.15 p.m. Buyers
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
June	8 0¾	7 10½	8 1½	7 10½	8 1½	7 10½
Aug.	8 2¼	8 0¾	8 2¼	8 0	8 1½	8 0
Dec.	8 8¼	8 6¾	8 8¼	8 6	8 8¼	8 6

Raw sugar futures were barely steady; Aug. delivery sold at 5s. 11¼d.; Dec., at 6s. 4½d.; March, from 7s. 6d. to 7s. 5¼d.; May, at 7s. 8¼d. Calls (88 per cent. beet):—

Month	10.30 a.m. Sellers	10.30 a.m. Buyers	3.15 p.m. Sellers	3.15 p.m. Buyers	4.15 p.m. Sellers	4.15 p.m. Buyers
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Aug.	6 0	5 11¼	6 0	5 11¼	6 0	5 11¼
Sept.	6 0¾	5 11¼	6 0	5 11¼	6 0	5 11¼
Oct.	6 2¼	6 0	6 2¼	6 0¾	6 2¼	6 0
Dec	6 5¼	6 4½	6 4½	6 3¾	6 4½	6 3¾
NEW CONTRACT BASIS, 96 PER CENT., C.I.F.						
Jan.	7 2¼	7 0	7 1½	7 0¾	7 1½	7 0
March	7 6	7 5¼	7 6	7 5¼	7 6	7 5¼
May	7 9	7 8¼	7 8¼	7 7½	7 8¼	7 7½

COFFEE.—At auction 4,629 packages were offered and met a poor demand at steady to easier prices. East Indian, extra bold colour from 103s. 6d. to 135s. 6d.; bold from 83s. to 136s. 6d.; medium, 66s. 6d. to 90s. 6d.; small from 61s. 6d. to 63s. 6d.; peas at 80s.; triage from 55s. to 60s. 6d.; Kenya, bold grey and grey-greenish from 86s. to 110s. 6d.; medium from 56s. 6d. to 71s. 6d. small from 54s. 6d. to 67s.; Salvador, bold greenish, at 91s.; Nicaragua, bold colour, at 115s. Futures nominal.

COCOA.—Accra steady; fair fermented, mid-crop, June-July, quoted 29s.; new crop, Oct.-Dec., 34s., sellers, f.o.b. Futures were quiet and easier; Sept. delivery sold at 34s. 9d.; March at 35s. Sales 30 tons. Calls (Accra cocoa):—

Month	11 a.m. Sellers	11 a.m. Buyers	4 p.m. Sellers	4 p.m. Buyers	4.50 p.m. Sellers	4.50 p.m. Buyers
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
June	36 0	34 0	36 6	34 0	36 0	34 0
July	34 9	34 6	35 0	34 0	35 0	34 0
Aug.	34 9	34 0	34 9	34 0	35 0	34 0
Sept.	35 0	34 1½	34 7½	34 1½	35 0	34 0
Dec.	35 0	34 6	35 0	34 6	35 0	34 0

TEA.—At auction 22,200 packages of Indian grades were on offer. The market was firmer for teas up to 10d and a further farthing per lb. advance was occasionally recorded compared with Monday's rates. The few invoices with standout or autumnal character realized full prices, but plain teas were irregular and from about 10½d. upwards the tendency was in buyers' favour, especially for stylish parcels between 1s. 6d. and 2s. Common broken Pekoe Souchong sold from 8d. to 9½d.; common broken Pekoe, from 8¼d. to 9¾d.; medium broken Pekoe Souchong, from 9¾d. to 1s. 0½d.; medium Broken Pekoe, from 10d. to 1s. 2½d.; fine and finest broken Pekoe and broken Orange Pekoe, from 1s. 5d. to 2s. 6d.

RICE quiet. Burma No. 2, cleaned, spot, quoted 13s. per cwt.; June, in singles to Continent and U.K., 11s. 10½d.; No. 3, doubles to Levant, 12s.; S.A., July, doubles Cuba (main ports) 12s. 3d., sellers, c.i.f.

RANGOON BEANS quiet. Handpicked white, spot, quoted 11s. 3d. per cwt.; June-July, 10s. 6d., c.i.f., U.K.

SAGO FLOUR steady. June-July quoted 9s. 7½d. per cwt., sellers, c.i.f., U.K.

TAPIOCA was steady. Fine Java flake, spot, quoted 27s.; June 24s., sellers, c.i.f. Fair flake Singapore, June-Aug., quoted 12s. 3d. value, c.i.f., Havre. Seed pearl, June-July, quoted 13s., value, c.i.f. Java seed, spot, quoted 24s.; June, 22s., sellers, c.i.f.

SPICES.—Pepper was steady, but there was little doing. Black Singapore, spot, quoted 11d.; Lampong, 10¾d.; Tellicherry, 11d.; Aleppy, 10¾d.; white Muntok, 1s. 1¾d.; sellers. To arrive, black Singapore, f.a.q., June-Aug., quoted 9¾d., value; Lampong, May-July, 9⅝d.; Aug.-Oct., 8¾d., sellers; white Muntok, May-July, quoted 11⅝d., value; July-Aug. sold at 11½d.; Aug.-Oct. quoted 11⅝d., buyers, c.i.f., delivered weight. Cloves steady; Zanzibar, spot, quoted 11¾d.; May-July, 11½d., value, c.i.f. Pimento easier; spot quoted 8d.; July-Aug., 70s. per cwt., sellers, c.i.f.

RUBBER.—Plantation grades opened steady, but closed easier. Smoked sheet, spot and June, sold from 6 1/16d. to 6⅛d. to 6d. per lb., and buyers; July from 6 5/16d. to 6d. and buyers; July-Sept. from 6 5/16d. to 6 1/16d., and value; Oct.-Dec. at 6 5/16d., and value; Jan.-March from 6 11/16d. to 6 9/16d., and value; April-June at 6⅞d., and sellers; Jan.-Dec. at 7d., and value; crêpe, spot, from 6d. to 5⅞d., and buyers. Para grades unchanged; hard fine, spot, quoted 7¼d., sellers.

GAMBIER quiet. Good marks, June-Aug., quoted 25s. per cwt., sellers, c.i.f.

SHELLAC.—The spot market was steady. T N orange, basis fair, quoted 117s. 6d. per cwt.; A C, 130s., sellers. Futures were firmer. T N, Aug. delivery, sold from 101s. to 102s.; Oct. delivery from 103s. 6d. to 105s. Shipment market firmer. T N, in bags, July-Aug., sold at 92s.; Sept.-Oct. from 95s. 6d. to 96s., c.i.f. Shipments from Calcutta during first half of June:—Great Britain, 3,518cwt.; Continent, 742cwt.; America, 16,319cwt.; other ports, 2,340cwt.—total, 22,919cwt., against 25,095 a year ago. Calcutta cable dated June 18 gives:—Spot, Rs.41; July, Rs.42; Aug., Rs.43, buyers.

HEMP.—Manila grades were eased under renewed selling and fair sales were done at from 5s. to 10s. per ton below last rates. Grade J, June-Aug., sold at £23 10s. per ton, and value; K, June-Aug., quoted £22 10s., sellers; Aug.-Oct. sold at £22 10s., and sellers; L. No. 1, June-Aug., quoted £22 5s., sellers; Aug.-Oct. sold at £22 10s., and sellers; No. 2, June-Aug., sold at £21 5s., and sellers; M, No. 1, quoted £21 10s., sellers; No. 2, £21, value, c.i.f. African sisal easier. Tanganyika and Kenya, No. 1, good marks, June-Aug., quoted £26 10s.; f.a.q., £26, sellers, c.i.f.

JUTE eased under lower Calcutta advices, selling pressure, and in sympathy with a quieter goods market. Moderate sales were put through at from 5s. to 7s. 6d. per ton below last rates. First marks, May-June, sold from £22 12s. 6d. to £22 10s. and sellers; June-July at £22 10s. and sellers; July-Aug. at £22 10s. and sellers; new crop, Aug.-Sept., from £23 2s. 6d. to £23 and sellers; Sept.-Oct. at £23, closing £22 17s. 6d., sellers; Oct.-Nov. at £23 and sellers; lightnings, June-July, at £21 5s. and sellers; new crop, Aug.-Sept., from £22 to £21 17s. 6d, and value; hearts, June-July, at £19 15s. and sellers; Daisee, 2 and 3, June-July, quoted £22, sellers; Tossa, 2 and 3, £23, sellers, c.i.f. Calcutta cable dated June 18 gives:—Firsts, spot, quoted Rs.44; lightnings, Rs.41, sellers.

HESSIANS AND TWILLS easier; 10oz. spot, Dundee, quoted 23s. 3d.; London, 23s. 6d.; June, 23s.; July-Sept., 23s. 3d., sellers; 8oz., spot, quoted 19s. 3d. Dundee; 20s. 3d., London; June, 18s. 6d.; July-Sept., 18s. 9d., sellers, per 100 yards; Liverpool twills, July-Sept., quoted 67s. 6d.; B., 59s. 6d., sellers, c.i.f., per 100 bags.

COPRA steadier. Singapore, f.m.s., June, quoted £18 2s. 6d. per ton, value; July sold at £18 7s. 6d. and value; Aug. quoted £18 10s., buyers, c.i.f., Rotterdam. Ceylon, f.m.s., June-July, quoted £19 10s., value, c.i.f., usual ports. Dutch East Indies, f.m.s., July, quoted £18 7s. 6d., buyers, c.i.f., one port. Mixed (no Pad.), June-July, quoted £18, value; South Sea, kiln dried, £17 15s., value, c.i.f., Marseilles.

TALLOW.—The spot market has remained quiet during the past week, and prices were marked 1s. 6d. per cwt. lower to-day. No auction was held to-day. Quotations:—Australian mutton, fine, 34s.; good to fair, 32s. to 30s.; dull to dark, 27s. to 26s.; hard, 32s. 6d.; Australian beef, fine, 35s.; good to fair, 31s. to 30s.; dull to dark, 26s. 6d. to 25s.; and sweet, 35s. The *Market Letter* showed both tallow and stuff 2s. lower. Town tallow, 27s. per cwt.; rough fat, 1½d. per lb., value; melted stuff, 17s. per cwt.

LIVERPOOL, June 18.—SUGAR EXCHANGE.—The market opened barely steady with prices ¼d. per cwt. lower on poor American advices overnight, and, during the early portion of the session, the tone was quiet. At the 3.5 p.m. call an easier tone developed and prices declined a further ½d. A moderate business was done comprising March, at 7s. 10½d. and May, at 8s. 1d., the close being steady although 1d. lower on the day.

	Opening	3.5 p.m.	Closing
June	7/3s.-7/1½b.	7/2¼s.-7/1b.	7/2s.-7/1b.
July	7/3s.-7/1½b.	7/2¼s.-7/1b.	7/2s.-7/1b.
Aug.	7/2¼s.-7/1½b.	7/2¼s.-7/1b.	7/2s.-7/1b.
Oct.	7/5s.-7/4b.	7/4½s.-7/3½b.	7/4½s.-7/3½b.
Dec.	7/7 paid	7/7s.-7/6b.	7/7s.-7/6b.
Jan.	7/9s.-7/8b.	7/8½s.-7/7½b.	7/8½s.-7/7½b.
Mar.	8/0s.-7/11b.	7/10½ paid	7/10½d paid
May	8/2½s.-8/1½b.	8/2s.-8/1b.	8/1 paid
Aug.	8/7s.-8/6b.	8/6½s.-8/5½b.	8/6½s.-8/5½b.

METALS AND MINERALS

LONDON, June 18.—COPPER.—With New York electrolytic further reduced 25 points to 11.75c. per lb., the market here opened easier, and early in the session three months standard sold at £46 15s. Early metal was again neglected, but with more interest in forward at the lower level of values, the close was steady, though on balance cash was 5s. and three months 2s. 6d. lower. Sales were 700 tons. July sold at £46 15s. to £47 to £46 17s. 6d. to £47 2s. 6d.; Aug., £46 17s. 6d. to £47; and three months at £47 to £46 15s. to £47. Settlement price, £47. At the second session Sept. sold at £47 and three months at £47 to £47 2s. 6d. Refined was quiet but steady, with electrolytic quoted £54 to £56, and wire bars £56.

TIN.—Eastern advices gave 350 tons sold at £135 10s., c.i.f., a decline of 20s. Easier Straits advices and a poor trade demand induced an easier feeling here at the opening, with business in three months at about 20s. below the previous closing level. Later in the session offerings were more restricted, and under fair buying of cash and three months, prices hardened, and the market closed steady, with cash 16s. 3d. and three months 11s. 3d. higher. Sales amounted to 600 tons. Cash sold at £132 to £132 10s.; Aug., £133 to £132 15s.; and three months, £133 10s. to £135 5s. Settlement price, £133 10s. In the late trade, cash sold at £134; and three months at £135 to £135 10s. Options.—£6 on £133 15s. was paid for "Call." English common tin closed steady at £135.

LEAD.—Heavy offerings of lead were fairly readily taken, though the close was easier. On balance near dates were unchanged and forward 2s. 6d. lower. Sales were 1,400 tons. June sold at £17 17s. 6d.; Aug., £17 13s. 9d.; and Sept. at £17 17s. 6d. to £17 13s. 9d. Settlement price, £17 17s. 6d. In the afternoon June sold at £17 15s.; and Sept. at £17 11s. 3d. English closed unchanged at £19 5s.

SPELTER was in fair demand at steady rates. On balance near dates were 1s. 3d. higher and forward unchanged. Sales were 500 tons. July sold at £16 11s. 3d.; Aug., £16 15s.; and Sept., at £16 18s. 9d. Settlement price, £16 7s. 6d. The afternoon market was idle.

TINPLATES were quiet at 18s. to 18s. 3d., basis I.C., f.o.b., South Wales. ZINC SHEETS.—English steady at £27 to £28 per ton, ex works. ANTIMONY was dull; English regulus, £40 to £46 10s.; and foreign, spot, £26 10s. to £27 per ton, ex warehouse. ALUMINIUM steady at £95 per ton for ingots and bars for home delivery. NICKEL steadily held at £170 per ton. WOLFRAM.—Straits quoted 18s. 6d. to 19s. per unit, c.i.f. PLATINUM.—Refined, £8 10s. to £8 15s. per oz. QUICKSILVER steady at £22 12s. 6d. per flask, full terms.

OFFICIAL CLOSING QUOTATIONS

	To-day		Prev. day	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
COPPER—				
Std. cash	46 17 6 to	47 0 0	47 2 6 to	47 5 0
Three mths.	47 2 6—	47 5 0	47 5 0—	47 7 6
Electrolytic	54 0 0—	56 0 0	54 0 0—	56 0 0
Wire bars	56 0 0	—	56 0 0	—
TIN—				
Std. cash	133 7 6—	133 10 0	132 10 0—	132 15 0
Three mths.	135 0 0—	135 5 0	134 10 0—	134 12 6
*LEAD— Good soft pig, net	17 17 6—	17 13 9	17 17 6—	17 16 3
*SPELTER	16 7 6—	16 18 9	16 6 3—	16 18 9

* For shipment during the current and third following month.

Unofficial closing quotations:—COPPER, cash, £46 17s. 6d.; three months, £47 2s. 6d. TIN, cash, £134; three months, £135 10s. LEAD, near, £17 15s.; forward, £17 11s. 3d. SPELTER, near, £16 7s. 6d.; forward, £16 18s. 9d.

MEAT AND FISH

LONDON, June 18.—SMITHFIELD MEAT (official report).—Supplies amounted to 1,588 tons, made up of 406 tons of British and Irish produce and 1,182 tons of imported. Imports formed 74.4 per cent. Prices ruled as follows:—

BEEF (per 8lb.).—Scotch short sides, 6s. to 6s. 8d.; long sides, 5s. 4d. to 6s.; English long sides, 5s. 6d. to 6s. 2d.; hindquarters, forerib, and flank (Kosher), 6s. 4d. to 6s. 8d.; Argentine hindquarters, chilled, 4s. 6d. to 4s. 10d.; forequarters, chilled, 2s. 3d. to 2s. 4d.; Uruguayan hindquarters, chilled, 4s. to 4s. 2d.; Brazilian hindquarters, chilled, 3s. 4d. to 3s. 8d.; forequarters, chilled, 1s. 6d. to 1s. 7d.; Australian hindquarters, frozen, 3s. 4d. to 3s. 6d. National Mark.—Scotch short sides, select, 6s. 6d. to 6s. 8d.; short sides, prime, 6s. 4d. to 6s. 6d.; long sides, select, 5s. 10d. to 6s.; long sides, prime, 5s. 8d. to 5s. 10d.; English long sides, T.K. select, 6s. 2d. to 6s. 4d.; long sides, prime, 5s. 10d. to 6s.; long sides, good, 5s. 8d. to 5s. 10d.

MUTTON (per 8lb.).—Scotch, 7s. to 8s. 4d.; tegs, 8s. to 8s. 8d.; English (including tegs), 7s. to 8s.; ewes, 3s. 8d. to 4s. 8d.; New Zealand wethers, 3s. 4d. to 4s. 4d.; ewes, 2s. 2d. to 2s. 6d.; Australian wethers, 2s. 4d. to 2s. 8d.; Argentine wethers, 2s. 4d. to 3s.; Patagonian wethers, 2s. 4d. to 3s.

LAMB (per 8lb.).—English, 8s. to 10s.; Irish, 7s. 4d. to 9s.; New Zealand, 5s. 6d. to 6s. 4d.; Australian, 4s. 4d. to 5s. 4d.; Argentine, 4s. to 5s.; Patagonian, 4s. 4d. to 5s.

PORK (per 8lb.).—English, 5s. 4d. to 6s. 8d.; New Zealand, 4s. 10d. to 5s. 4d.; Argentine, 4s. 6d. to 4s. 8d.; sows, 4s. 8d. to 5s. 2d. VEAL (per 8lb.).—English, fat, 7s. 4d. to 8s. 4d.; specials, 8s. 8d. to 9s. 4d.; bobbies, 6s. to 7s.

POULTRY, GAME, &c.—Surrey chickens (per lb.), 1s. 3d. to 1s. 9d.; country, 1s. 1d. to 1s. 4d.; small, 11d. to 1s.; Irish, fatted, 1s. 2d. to 1s. 4d.; lean, 1s. to 1s. 2d.; Belgian, 1s. 4d. to 1s. 6d.; French, 1s. 2d. to 1s. 3d.; Dutch, yellow, 1s. to 1s. 2d.; white, 1s. 3d. to 1s. 4d.; Russian, 10d. to 1s. 1d.; American, 1s. 2d. to 1s. 4d.; English hens, old, 9d. to 10d.; ducklings, country, 1s. to 1s. 2d.; Aylesbury, 1s. 3d to 1s 5d; ducks, Russian, 10½d. to 11d.; geese, English, 9d. to 10d.; turkeys, Russian, 1s. to 1s. 2d.

BILLINGSGATE.—FISH.—Consignments totalled 675 tons. Supplies of salmon were lighter and met a keen trade at easier rates. Prime selections moved at a moderate pace at about unaltered prices. Quotations:—English salmon and Irish, 2s. to 2s. 4d.; Scotch, 2s. 2d. to 2s. 6d.; Norwegian, 1s. 9d. to 2s.; salmon trout, 1s. to 1s. 8d.; soles, 1s. 10d. to 2s. 4d.; slips, 1s. 10d. to 2s. 2d.; mullet, 1s.; whitebait, 1s. to 1s. 3d.; lobsters, 1s. 3d. to 2s. 3d.; crabs, 2d. to 8d.; prawns, 1s. to 5s. per lb.; dory, 2s.; turbot, 6s. to 9s.; brill, 9s. to 11s.; lemon soles, 8s. to 12s.; halibut, 12s. to 16s.; witches, 4s. to 5s.; live cod and skate, 4s. to 6s.; plaice, 8s. to 12s. 6d.; dry haddock, 8s. 2d. to 11s. 8d.; haddock, 4s. 6d. to 7s.; mackerel, 4s. to 5s.; whiting and conger eels, 2s. to 4s.; gurnet, 1s. to 3s.; skate, 3s. to 5s.; roker, 6s. 6d. to 7s. 6d.; fresh English and Scotch herrings, 1s. 6d. to 5s. per stone. Live eels, 10s. to 32s. per draught. Bloaters, 5s. to 6s.; kippers, 4s. to 6s.; fillets, 2s. 6d. per box. Relaid Dutch oysters, 10s. to 20s.; Portuguese, 7s.; American, 6s. to 8s. per 100. English and Dutch shrimps, 1s., and pink 9d. to 1s. per gallon.

GRIMSBY, June 18.—FISH.—Thirty-three North Sea, two Iceland, and 10 Faroe Islands trawlers and one liner landed a poor supply. Demand was good. Plaice, 11s.; lemon soles, 12s. 6d.; halibut, 10s. 6d. to 26s.; cod, 3s. to 8s. 6d.; skate, 9s.; small haddock, 3s. 6d.; kit haddock, 7s.; gibbed haddock, 8s. 6d.; dabs, 8s. to 9s.; codlings, 6s. to 8s. per st. Soles, 2s. 8d.; turbot, 9d.; brill, 1s. per lb.

PROVISIONS

LONDON, June 18.—BACON was in quieter request with trading at open prices. The tone was steady. Killings in Southern Ireland last week numbered 14,516, and in the North 6,959, against 13,784 and 6,737 respectively in the preceding week. HAMS.—York and Cumberland remained steady, with 10lb. to 14lb. quoted 200s.; United States long-cut, 106s. to 108s.; short-cut, 94s. to 102s. per cwt. LARD ruled quiet and Irish bladders were quoted 72s. to 80s.; Danish bladders, 58s.; American, 56lb. boxes, 53s. to 53s. 6d. per cwt. CHEESE.—English remained quiet at previous rates. Finest farmers, 84s. to 86s.; fine farmer's, 76s. to 80s.; farmer's loaf, 74s. to 84s.; and factory, 68s. to 70s. per cwt.; graded Cheshire 8½d. to 9½d. per lb. Colonial descriptions were steady: Canadian, fine to finest, new, 82s. to 84s.; New Zealand, finest coloured, 84s. to 85s.; finest white, 78s. to 79s.; Dutch (factory) Edam, 40 per cent., 54s. to 63s.; Gouda, 40 per cent., 56s. to 61s. per cwt. BUTTER was steady; New Zealand finest salted, 134s. to 136s.; finest unsalted, 140s. to 146s.; Australian finest salted, 130s. to 133s.; finest unsalted, 127s. to 130s.; Argentine finest unsalted, 118s. to 128s.; Irish creamery salted, 130s.; unsalted, 134s.; Danish, 138s. to 140s.; Dutch creamery, unsalted, 128s. to 132s.; French salt, baskets, 138s. to 140s.; Estonian salted, 124s. to 126s.; unsalted, 126s.; Latvian salted and unsalted, 126s.; Polish, 96s. to 118s.; Siberian, 122s. to 124s. per lb. Dutch rolls, 14s. 6d. to 15s.; and French rolls, 18s. per 12lb.

EGGS

LONDON, June 18.—The Smithfield market official report contains the following quotations:—(Per 120).—English, ordinary packing, grade 1, 12s. to 13s. 9d.; grade 2, 10s. to 10s. 9d.; Belgian, 15½lb., 9s. 6d. to 9s. 9d.; Danish, 18lb., 11s. 9d. to 12s. 3d.; 15½lb., 10s. to 10s. 6d.; Dutch, 18lb., all brown, 12s. 6d. to 13s.; 16-16½lb., all brown, 10s. 9d. to 11s. 3d.; 16lb., mixed, 9s. 6d. to 10s.; duck, 9s. 3d. to 9s. 6d.; French, 16lb., brown, 10s. 6d. to 11s.; 17lb., brown, 11s. to 11s. 3d.

The Ministry of Agriculture announce the following Central Official Agents' prices for large quantities of National Mark Eggs:—(London Egg Exchange).—Special weight, 15s. 9d. to 16s.; standard weight, 13s. 9d. to 14s. 3d.; medium weight, 11s. 9d. to 12s.; pullet weight, no quotation.

FRENCH TREASURY'S RESOURCES

DEVELOPMENT WITHOUT LOANS

(FROM OUR PARIS CORRESPONDENT)

The Finance Committee of the Chamber was informed by M. Paul Reynaud, Minister of Finance, that the state of the Treasury is as follows:—

Assets, 12,948,000,000 francs.
Liabilities, 7,075,000,000 francs.

Out of the balance, 408,000,000 have to be deducted under the heading of a permanent deposit at the International Bank, leaving a net credit balance of 5,465,000,000 (about £44,000,000).

M. Reynaud stated that this balance was more than adequate to cover the initial expenses of the Government's national development scheme and that a loan would therefore not be needed.

S.E. OFFICIAL LIST QUOTATIONS

Applications have been made to the Stock Exchange Committee to allow the following to be quoted in the Official List:—

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY.—£500,000 Four per Cent. Non-Cumulative Preference stock, and £500,000 Four per Cent. Perpetual Consolidated Debenture stock.

ENGLISH ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.—400,284 Ordinary shares of £1 each, fully-paid, within Nos. 1 to 593,468 and 491,784 Six-and-a-Half Preference (Non-Cumulative until December 31, 1933) shares of £1 each, fully-paid, within Nos. 1 to 1,135,844.

LONDON AND HOLYROOD TRUST, LIMITED.—£600,000 Ordinary stock and £900,000 Five per Cent. Preference stock.

NATIONAL OMNIBUS AND TRANSPORT COMPANY, LIMITED.—100,000 Ordinary shares of £1 each, fully-paid, Nos. 400,001 to 500,000.

UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC RAILWAYS OF LONDON, LIMITED.—140,398 Ordinary shares of £1 each, fully-paid, Nos. 8,764,830 to 8,905,227.

HAMBURG COFFEE MARKET

HAMBURG, June 18.—The market opened steady with March unchanged and other positions ¼ to ¾ higher, further improved afterwards, and closed firm 1 to ¼ higher on the day. Quotations.—(Reichsmarks per 50 kilos) July, 41 (previous, 40); Sept., 38¼ (37¾); Dec., 36½ (35¾); March, 35¼ (35). Yesterday's sales totalled 1,000 bags.

MINING NEWS

OROVILLE DREDGING.—Pato.—Gross returns for 34 days to June 12, 1930, $16,503 from 164,111 cubic yards (No. 2 dredge).

RENONG TIN DREDGING.—Dredge No. 2.—Outturn for first half of June, 31 tons 1cwt. Dredge No. 3.—Outturn, 16 tons 7cwt.

BWANA M'KUBWA COPPER.—Cablegram.—"Mindola Hole 30 from 693ft. to 720ft., assays 2.99 per cent. copper for true width 22.25ft., hole finished."

ARISTON GOLD.—Milled 6,000 tons during May; revenue, £10,100; working profit, £291.

A meeting of the 7 per Cent. Participating Debenture stockholders of Bermuda Traction has been convened for to-morrow to consider resolutions postponing payment of the interest on the Debenture stock falling due on July 1, 1930 (including the half-year's interest which fell due on January 1, 1930, but was postponed to July 1, 1930), until January 1, 1931, and authorizing the creation of £100,000 7 per Cent. Prior Lien Debentures. The proposals are strongly recommended by the Debenture Stockholders' Committee.

Reports of proceedings under the heading "Company Meetings" are inserted as advertisements, but care is taken to ensure that they are trustworthy.

STATE OF THE ROADS

ADVICE TO MOTORISTS

The following road information is extracted from the reports received by the Automobile Association:—

HOME COUNTIES.—On the London-Colchester road kerb laying and widening is in progress at Mountnessing, Ingatestone, and Margaretting, while gas main laying and sewerage work is being undertaken at Colchester. Repairs at Broomfield and High Garrett on the Chelmsford-Braintree-Sudbury road call for care (one-way traffic). The London-Royston-Huntingdon road *via* Cambridge Arterial Road, is being reconstructed at Colliers End and Puckeridge, while the London-Stamford road (Great North) is being widened between Stevenage-Baldock and repaired at Wittering. Care on the London-Stony Stratford road, on the Barnet By-Pass, and between Kensworth and Dunstable (reconstruction), also in the Chalk Cutting, Dunstable, and at Sheep Lane Cross Roads (repairs). The London-Hungerford road (Bath) is being widened between Langley, Slough, and Maidenhead, while reconstruction work is being carried out between Calcot Park and Theale. Care on this road between Tilehurst-Newbury after wet weather, owing to the possibility of skidding.

EASTERN AREA.—The King's Lynn-Wisbech road has been closed owing to the collapse of a culvert bridge (A.A. loopway signs). Cable-laying is being undertaken on the Norwich-Aylsham and Cromer road between the second and fifth milestones, while the Norwich-Wroxham road is being repaired at Rackheath. Owing to a bridge on the Newmarket-Ely road being reconstructed, half width of road is only available.

MIDLAND AREA.—Repairs are in progress on the following roads:—Birmingham-Stony Stratford, at Cuttle Mill and Foster's Booth; Birmingham-Banbury, at Warmington; Birmingham-Evesham, near Studley; Birmingham-Oxford, between Shipston-Long Compton; Northampton-Crick, near West Hadden; Shrewsbury-Hereford, on Dinmore Hill; Worcester-Rhayader, at Leominster; Worcester-Tewkesbury, at Stratford; Wellington-Whitchurch, at Peplow.

EAST MIDLAND AREA.—Gedney Bridge on the Boston Long Sutton road is still under repair, one-way traffic necessary. Care on the Lincoln-Gainsborough-Bawtry road owing to widening being undertaken four miles west of Lincoln and between Torksey and Marton. Wyberton Bridge is still closed and traffic is being diverted *via* Kirton Holme. Repairs are still progressing at Littleover on the Derby-Burton-on-Trent road, while pipe-laying has now started on the Derby-Ripley road, near Ripley.

WESTERN AREA.—The Bristol-Bridgwater-Taunton-Waterloo cross road is being repaired at Langford and Weare, while reconstruction work is being undertaken between Taunton and Bishops Hull, and at intervals between Wellington and Waterloo Cross. Care on this road between Highbridge and Pawlett and at Biddisham Bridge in rainy weather, owing to the possibility of skidding.

DEVON AND CORNWALL AREA.—On the Bideford-Okehampton road cable laying is being carried out at Bideford, while the Bampton-Barnstaple road is being reconstructed at Gordon Hill. Heavy reconstruction is in progress on the railway bridge at Bugle on the Bodmin-St. Austell-Probus road, care necessary; alternative recommended for heavy traffic *via* Roche. The Lynton-Fraddon road is being repaired at Arlington and between Clovelly and Bucks Cross, while the Bodmin-Torpoint road is being widened at Scunner Villa and between Polbathic and Sheviock.

SOUTH WALES AREA.—Cardiff Bridge is being reconstructed and traffic approaching the city from the west should enter over Wood-street Bridge, while vehicles leaving the city for the west may use the half width of the bridge which is still available (A.A. loopway signs). Owing to a new bridge which is under construction 1½ miles from Llandovery on the Builth-Llandilo road, warnings have been erected and traffic must proceed slowly, this road is also being widened between Llanwrda and Llangadoc A.A. Box. On the Cardiff-Neath road widening is being undertaken at intervals between Bonvilston and Bridgend By-Pass.

NORTH-EASTERN AREA.—Selby Toll Bridge is closed (A.A. loopway signs). The Leeds-Otley-Settle-Clapham road is still being reconstructed between Gargrave and Hellifield while full-width repairs are in progress between Draughton and Skipton. Widening is being undertaken on the Leeds-Barnley at Sandal, on the Bradford-Wakefield road seven miles from Wakefield, on the York-Scarborough road through Malton, and on the Huddersfield-Sheffield road north of Wortley.

NORTHUMBERLAND AND DURHAM AREA.—Care on the Newcastle-Darlington road owing to reconstructions every few miles, particularly where only half-width of road is available. On the Newcastle-Belsay-Otterburn road extensive widening is in progress at Cowgate (roller working, red lights at night), while the reconstruction work west of Ponteland has been suspended—safety posts erected. Full-width repairs on the Morpeth-Belsay road entering Whalton also between the fifteenth and sixteenth milestones on the Morpeth-Wooler road.

NORTH-WESTERN AREA.—The Buxton-Ashbourne road is being widened at intervals, while the Buxton-Bakewell road is also being widened at Taddington Dale. The Leek-Cheadle road is being widened at Lee Brook, where the road is closed half-width; pipe-laying is also in progress entering Cheadle. On the Keswick-Grasmere road widening is also being undertaken two miles from Keswick, while the Silloth-Whitehaven road is being repaired 2½ miles from Silloth and between second and fourth milestones south of Workington.

LIVERPOOL AND NORTH WALES AREA.—Chester-Hoylake road is being widened between the eighth and ninth milestones (red lights at night). Repairs are in progress entering Heswall. The Whitchurch-Overton road has been closed to through traffic during the demolition of the bridge at Penley and the erection of a new bridge near Overton (A.A. loopway signs).

BANK HOLIDAY ACCIDENT

"FIRE-EATING" PERFORMER DISCHARGED

WILLIAM RICHARD WOODARD, 41, described as a street seller, of High-street, Homerton, appeared on remand at the Hampstead Police Court yesterday charged with unlawfully and maliciously burning Rose Elizabeth Tame, aged 10, and William Tame, aged 6, both of St. Silas-street, Kentish Town.

The case arose out of an incident on Whit Monday afternoon, when four children and a man received burns while watching Woodard giving an exhibition of "fire eating" in South Hill Park, Hampstead. Rose Tame died in Hampstead General Hospital on Friday, and Woodard was now further charged with unlawfully killing her.

Mr. G. G. Raphael, who appeared for the police, suggested that now Woodard had been charged with manslaughter the other charges should be dispensed with.

Charles Henry Tame, the father of the dead child, said that he, his wife, and four children were watching Woodard's performance outside a publichouse in South Hill Park. Woodard had his coat off and held in his left hand a rod with a ball of rag. He then took a bottle of paraffin and poured some of the contents on to the rag and lit it. He then waved the rod about and said, "I am a white man. You do your bit and I'll do mine."

When the flames had died down he poured more paraffin on to them. Putting the end of the tube to his mouth he seemingly blew down it, causing a burst of flame. Tame added that his little girl was in the front of the crowd about two yards from Woodard, who gave no warning to the children to stand away. When Woodard blew down the rod the flame scattered over the crowd. Rose, his child, ran towards him with her clothing alight.

The CHAIRMAN announced that in the opinion of the Bench no jury would convict of manslaughter, and the man would be discharged.

HORSE SET ON FIRE

At the Tower Bridge Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Griffith-Jones, EDWARD ALBERT PHILLIS, carman, of Earl-road, Bermondsey, was sent to prison for two months, with hard labour, for cruelly ill-treating a horse. Mr. Gordon Jones, for the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, called evidence that, on June 2, the defendant was seen to throw something over the forequarters of the animal and rub it in, because he could not get it to move readily. There was a burst of flame, and a motorist coming along put out the flames with a chemical extinguisher. The animal was so severely burned that it had to be destroyed. The defendant said the thing was an accident. He had been cleaning some harness, and put a paraffin rag on the harness on the animal. In lighting a cigarette he took off the rag while still holding the match in the same hand. Mr. Stallon, solicitor, defending, asked for sureties to be fixed in case of an appeal.

The Estate Market

CLAREMONT

BUILDING LAND

Claremont, Esher, the mansion now for sale with 210 acres, by Messrs. Knight, Frank and Rutley (Hanover-square), is architecturally of special interest. The first house was a small one, built for himself by Vanbrugh and enlarged by him for the Duke of Newcastle in 1720. Vanbrugh's planning of the gardens was elaborated by Kent, and developed by "Capability" Brown. Lord Clive engaged Brown to replan the grounds and to see to the building of a new house on a somewhat higher site. Brown's part in the work has been questioned, and those who have claimed that he was the architect of Claremont have generally added that it was presumably his only important commission as an architect. The researches of Mr. Avray Tipping into the subject have, however, revealed that though Brown, the "great intermeddler in various seats," had orders to build a house for Lord Clive he entrusted the architecture to a young relative, Henry Holland. The full account of the matter is contained in *Country Life*, January 21, 1928, wherein it is claimed for the existing seat that "Claremont has a hall that shows Henry Holland at his best." Thus it would seem that "Capability" Brown was simply the supervisor on the spot of the carrying out of work according to another's design, on what Thomson called "Claremont's terraced heights." Henry Holland designed Brooks's Club.

Wickham Hall, West Wickham, Kent, a building estate, has been sold by Messrs. Knight, Frank and Rutley, who will, on July 17, at Hanover-square, with Messrs. Young and Gilling, sell Cleeve Grange, 98 acres, near Cheltenham.

Durris, a Scottish estate of 16,000 acres, for sale by Messrs. Knight, Frank and Rutley, is a house of 17th and 18th century construction, with the grouse moor, yielding from 500 to 1,000 brace, and nearly seven miles of salmon fishing in the Dee, affording up to 400 fish in a season, and partridge shooting.

Three building estates that may be regarded as outer-suburban are in the hands of Messrs. Hampton and Sons (St. James's-square) for realization next month. They are Harefield Place, a mile of freehold frontage, for sale at Uxbridge on July 10; and, a week later, at St. James's-square, Brook Farm, Cobham, 96 acres, in lots of from less than an acre upwards, with "main" services; and Upminster Lodge, 240 acres, and 9,000ft. of frontage to Essex arterial and other roads.

Norfolk House particulars are nearly ready. The date of the auction by Messrs. Hampton and Sons, as the Duke of Norfolk's sole agents in the matter, is July 22. City corner premises, No. 4, Cripplegate-buildings, Wood-street, leased at £825 a year, have been sold by Mr. B. B. Baddeley (Gracechurch-street).

The Hardy Monument at Blagdon, one of the highest points in Dorset, is close to 672 acres of downland that have just been sold for £3,000, by Messrs. Hy. Duke and Son (Dorchester) with other land on Boxenhedge estate, four miles from the town. Fourteen of the 20 lots of the Hemingford estate of Colonel H. M. S. Douglas have changed hands, under the hammer of Messrs. Bidwell and Sons (Cambridge) at St. Ives.

A variety of figures is seen in an offer by Messrs. John D. Wood and Co. (Mount-street) and Mr. John T. Pearson (Ross-on-Wye) of Ross Court, a modernized house, dated 1600, and 10 acres, in the Wye Valley. It might be let at £500 a year furnished, or £350 unfurnished; or sold with possession for £7,000, with the contents, or, unfurnished, for £6,000. If it goes to auction on July 1 the reserve will be £5,000. A picture of the property appeared in *The Times* last Saturday (p. 24).

SALES BY AUCTION

H. E. FOSTER and CRANFIELD

HOLBORN.—2, Bedford-row and 1, Jockey's Fields, freehold .. £9,250
KING'S CROSS.—22, Argyle-street, £10 a year and reversion in 12 years .. 380
32 and 33, Argyle-street, £8 a year and reversion in 6¾ years .. 755
23, Argyle-street, freehold .. 580
10 and 16, Argyle-street, £10 a year and reversion in 10 and 12 years .. 745
REGENT'S PARK.—Albert-street, £14 a year and reversion in 10¾ years .. 850
HIGHGATE.—Salisbury-road, £14 a year and reversion in 20 years .. 400
HIGHBURY.—Aubert Park, £12 10s. a year and reversion in 19¾ years .. 465
Leigh-road, £2 a year and reversion in 17 years .. 615
STAINES.—12, 14, and 16, Kingston-road, freehold .. 2,420

EDWIN EVANS and SONS

LAMBETH.—62, 64 and 66, Vauxhall-street, freehold .. 680
10, 11 and 12, Lapford-place, freehold .. 345
Tate-street, £15 a year and reversion in 17½ years .. 410
CAMBERWELL.—52, Well's-street, and 20, Harling-street, freehold .. 445

H. C. WILSON and Co.

MAIDA HILL.—2, Park-place Villas .. 375

KEMSLEYS

WALTHAM ABBEY.—"Rosemead" .. 800
HIGH BEECH.—Cottages, &c. .. 2,400

JAMES STYLES and WHITLOCK

BRAUNSTON, NORTHANTS.—118 acres .. 2,700

AUCTION SUMMARY

PROPERTY (TOWN, SUBURBAN, AND COUNTRY) SALES THIS DAY

Auctioneers	Place of Sale	Description
W. T. Mills and Co.	The Mart, E.C. (12.45)	Freehold and Leasehold Properties
Watson and Ewen	Do. (1.0)	Freehold and Leasehold Properties
H. E. Foster and Cranfield	Do. (2.30)	Reversions
Chesterton and Sons	Do. (2.30)	Freehold and Leasehold Properties
Mr. L. Raymond	Do. (2.30)	Freehold and Leasehold Properties
Winkworth and Co.	Do. (2.30)	Country Properties
Prickett and Ellis	Do. (2.30)	Leasehold Properties
Newbon and Shephard	Do. (2.30)	Freehold and Leasehold Properties
W. B. Hallett, Fox and White	Do. (2.30)	Freehold and Leasehold Properties
Goddard and Smith	22, King-street, St. James, S.W. (2.30)	Leasehold Property
H. J. Burt and Son	The Albion Hotel, Worthing (3.0)	Freehold Property
Edwards, Son and Bigwood	Grand Hotel, Birmingham (4.0)	Freehold Property
Brodie, Timbs and Ford	Castle Hotel, Hastings (4.0)	Freehold Property
John D. Wood and Co.	White Hart Hotel, Reigate (5.0)	Building Land
Wilson and Co.	The Ship Hotel, Brighton (—)	Freehold and Leasehold Properties

FURNITURE, WORKS OF ART, &c. SALES THIS DAY

Auctioneers	Place of Sale	Description
Hewitt and Gater	Whitehall, Beaulieu, New Forest (11.30)	Antique and Modern Furniture
Dowsett, Knight and Co.	60, Upper Park-road, Hampstead, N.W. (12.0)	Contents of the Residence
Debenham, Storr and Sons	26, King-street, Covent Garden, W.C. (12.0)	Old English Silver, Jewellery, &c.
Toplis and Harding and Russell	Piccadilly Hotel, London, W. (12.30)	Antique and Modern Carpets, Furniture, &c.
Marsh and Parsons	25, Hornton-street, Kensington, W. (12.30)	Furniture, &c.
Robinson, Fisher and Harding	King-street, St. James, S.W. (1.0)	Pictures, Engravings, &c.
J. Hibbard and Sons	Canal Wharf, Leighton Buzzard (1.0)	Timber
Hodgson and Co.	115, Chancery-lane, W.C. (1.0)	Rare Books
Tooth and Tooth	190, Queen's-gate, S.W. (1.0)	Antique and Modern Furniture
Messrs. Foster	54, Pall Mall, S.W. (1.0)	Decorative Furniture, Old Silver, China, &c.
Phillips, Son and Neale	73, New Bond-street, W. (1.0)	Antique and Modern Furniture
Sotheby and Co.	34-5, New Bond-street, W. (1.0)	Old English Silver
Puttick and Simpson	47, Leicester-square, W.C. (1.10)	Old English Silver
Harmer, Rooke and Co.	188, Strand, London, W.C. (2.0)	Rare Postage Stamps
Messrs. C. and E. Melville	25, Vicarage-road, East Sheen, S.W. (2.0)	Contents of the Residence

Bonds of the Department of the Seine 7 per cent. Sterling loan drawn for redemption, and coupons falling due July 1 next, should be presented for payment to Messrs. Helbert, Wagg and Co., 41, Threadneedle-street, E.C.2.

DRAWING OF BONDS

4 lines 16s. (minimum)

THE LAND BANK OF EGYPT. BANQUE FONCIERE D'EGYPTE.

DRAWING of FOUR per CENT. BONDS, repayable at Fcs.500 each.

495 BONDS 1st SERIES.
24th DRAWING of 31st MAY, 1930.

54	87	145	392	506	813
1045	1075	1083	1368	1386	1769
2039	2150	2174	2409	2598	2878
3443	3542	3689	3817	3826	3937
4191	4414	4426	4534	4616	4690
4746	4994	5372	5402	5544	5591
5631	6280	6284	6288	6296	6365
6480	6750	6784	6875	6989	7240
7256	7354	7654	7714	7753	7768
8192	8263	8296	8416	8488	8624
8858	9463	9879	10009	10368	10529
10635	10797	11108	11109	11165	11277
11404	11468	11600	11647	11730	11746
12279	12339	12428	13089	13136	13827
14046	14048	14151	14488	14499	14592
14597	15434	15450	16157	16185	16315
16989	17141	17172	17672	17708	17781
18205	18739	18917	19292	19314	19622
19687	19710	20008	20059	20126	20306
20562	20659	20996	21083	21085	21100
21159	21251	21917	22212	22293	22367
22756	23115	23156	23403	23614	23891
23979	24144	24145	24173	24288	24311
24639	24703	24911	25008	25195	25240
25467	25605	25643	25770	25951	26127
26193	26229	26252	26420	27231	27580
27654	27658	28376	28443	29019	29327
29510	29604	29770	29772	29832	29864
29883	29904	30074	30126	30255	30304
30306	30356	30419	30429	30767	30893
31111	31223	31278	31296	31321	31361
31684	32084	32486	32855	33253	33765
33809	33898	34031	34112	34233	34238
34249	34358	34393	34590	34667	35018
35060	35226	35400	35507	35849	35887
36110	36161	36234	36314	36328	36484
36640	36765	38037	38045	38437	39127
39219	39331	39797	39877	40148	40616
40735	41231	41405	41796	41901	41902
41979	42185	42220	42592	43052	43111
43126	43135	43167	43254	43383	43682
43880	44070	44387	44529	44566	44716
45018	45206	45310	45407	45438	45480
45572	45774	45852	46479	46802	46841
46855	46874	46901	47221	47543	47931
48305	48309	48575	48813	49171	49242
49390	49633	49665	49725	49804	49854
49882	49898	50447	50498	50767	51154
51184	51534	51573	51743	51802	51913
52128	52223	52535	52556	52758	53064
53071	53485	53533	53749	53839	53890
54042	54238	54428	54472	54526	54733
54833	55105	55169	55317	55763	55871
55893	56162	56377	56465	56472	56842
56848	56864	56946	57025	58498	58540
58614	58792	59077	59176	59486	59531
59611	59736	59802	59867	59940	60027
60105	60191	60229	60274	61010	61106
61551	61593	61899	61928	61937	62115
62271	62370	63107	63148	63370	63642
64430	64461	64543	64588	64746	64774
64995	65776	65780	65983	66640	66654
66764	66905	66933	67024	67064	67066
67152	67955	68068	68078	68303	68786
69026	69207	69896	70013	70255	70353
70510	70787	71246	71274	71338	71431
71468	71917	72038	72401	72702	72733
72846	73013	73255	73318	73503	73586
74210	74325	74569	74863	74996	75089
75537	75615	75687	76030	76079	76284
76324	76487	76616	76933	77439	77668
77922	78142	78173	78232	78290	78381
78622	78869	78902	79298	79808	80086
80324	80363	80500	80666	81084	81197
81395	81512	81633	82007	82008	82279
82386	82620	82641	82905	83218	83296
83337	83391	83502	83548	83651	83726
83767	83796	83854	84070	84228	84313
84799	85538	86047	86212	86281	86442
86518	86647	86988	87216	87270	87428
87430	87690	87750	87835	88062	88086
88202	88299	88354	89129	89176	89602
89831	89846	89898			

165 BONDS 2nd SERIES.
22nd DRAWING of 31st MAY, 1930.

90321	90550	90707	90717	91004	91029
91103	91267	91347	91577	91980	91985
91996	92438	92560	92663	92905	92931
93140	93358	93496	93789	93803	93957
94058	94199	94308	94451	94496	94513
94593	94763	95074	95234	95449	95540
95634	95775	95915	96044	96094	96095
96513	96525	96545	96717	97345	97411
97427	97721	97804	97949	97976	98036
98297	98527	98539	98709	98729	99022
99197	99503	99583	99675	99865	99975
99997	100151	100167	100278	100701	100852
101327	101408	101802	102244	102539	102935
103018	103024	103042	103187	103239	103469
103638	103671	103696	103838	104015	104870
105248	105278	105411	105507	106127	106503
106596	106727	107277	107850	108284	108318
108524	108700	108740	108805	108884	108913
109077	109313	109380	109673	110197	110593
110843	110863	111110	111430	111937	112035
112047	112057	112295	112342	112371	112686
112700	112792	112925	112938	113024	113079
113117	113268	113392	113997	114066	114123
114129	114541	114590	114853	115202	115335
115400	115669	115765	116133	116345	116357
116879	117065	117082	117347	117651	117834
117990	118380	118547	119173	119368	119654
119858	119862	119966			

112 BONDS 3rd SERIES.
19th DRAWING of 31st MAY, 1930.

120218	120328	120589	120597	120676	120875
120963	121316	121332	121452	121658	121977
122649	123088	123328	123484	123805	124120
124505	124692	124919	124986	125119	125385
125413	125728	125843	126128	126264	126278
126704	126811	126826	126920	126953	127105
127629	127665	128198	128251	128323	128574
128683	128782	128938	128999	129096	129155
129165	129219	129444	129668	129903	130119
130489	130591	130889	130961	131089	131767
131779	131862	131896	131965	132094	132145
132380	132541	132664	132682	132793	133262
133383	133598	133697	133826	134002	134098
134121	134156	134168	134368	134376	135062
135282	135379	135425	136023	136266	136491
136647	136893	137142	138104	138154	138181
138193	138230	138376	138583	138799	139200
139242	139310	139314	139465	139686	139732
139773	139804	139823	139861		

These Bonds, with Coupon No. 49 attached, will be payable at the exchange of the day on Paris, on and after 1st July, 1930—
In ALEXANDRIE, at Head Office of the Bank.
In PARIS, at Société Marseillaise de Crédit Industriel et Commercial et de Dépôts, 4, Rue Auber,
And at Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, 14, Rue Bergère.
In LONDON, at Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, 8-13, King William-street, E.C.4.
In GENEVE, at Messieurs Hentsch, Forget & Cie.
In BALE, at Banque Commerciale de Bâle.
In AMSTERDAM, at Messieurs Hope & Cie.
Numbers of Bonds previously drawn and not yet presented for payment:—

93	320	591	1172	1227	1918
4436	5004	5798	6015	6804	6824
7128	7618	8065	11728	11743	12752
13995	14206	14442	14447	14851	15693
16699	17523	17585	18096	18793	18843
19366	20124	20237	20468	20726	20741
20807	21129	21131	21477	21479	21968
22581	22657	23391	24061	24096	24893
24913	25348	25434	25454	25457	25837
25880	26856	31204	31596	32775	33185
33470	33481	33634	33969	34065	34723
34747	34960	36423	37553	37736	39513
39947	41422	41824	44203	44462	44606
45801	46378	47694	51519	51963	53117
53181	53194	54233	54257	54806	56340
56737	56948	57498	57638	57853	58153
59050	59696	59739	59858	60405	60575
61382	61664	62476	63069	63539	64077
64167	64168	64473	65022	67338	68301
69476	69650	69996	70265	70719	71683
71804	72308	72377	72384	73533	73577
73636	74584	75000	75337	75349	75366
75690	75703	76002	76840	76902	77018
77919	78638	79425	79621	80641	80725
80964	80974	82373	83032	83286	83343
83351	83395	83587	84858	84895	84940
85123	85924	85944	86122	86197	86199
86482	86917	86981	87472	88061	88139
88207	88233	88236	89694	89761	90053
90312	90960	91430	92116	92499	92500
93007	93097	93197	93672	94001	94241
96217	96249	96548	96961	97325	97333
97885	98076	98090	98132	98151	98507
98619	98695	98783	99766	100094	100460
100485	100986	101727	102554	103046	104721
105024	105203	105222	105981	106246	106282
106285	107342	107475	108769	109080	109330
110345	110397	110825	111090	113689	114112
114752	115785	115893	116281	116633	117434
117730	117777	118256	118789	119098	119625
119726	119925	119981	120513	120839	121299
121317	123027	123029	123662	124303	124565
124626	124760	125377	125681	125693	127182
127243	127475	127983	129618	129927	130215
130230	130296	131135	131515	131801	133649
133944	135138	136019	136224	136456	136480
136844	137106	137136	137261	137402	138950

TRANSFER BOOKS

GREENWOOD and BATLEY, Limited.—Notice is hereby given that the SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 21st to the 28th instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board.—G. G. Davies, Secretary, 16, Great George-street, London, S.W.1. 19th June, 1930.

HENEKEYS, Limited. Notice is hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Ordinary Shares and "A" Ordinary Shares will be CLOSED from the 23rd to the 30th June, both days inclusive, for the preparation of Dividend Warrants, payable on the 1st July. By Order of the Board. H. S. BRETT, Secretary. 34, Nicholas-lane, E.C.4. 18th June, 1930.

NESTLÉ and ANGLO-SWISS CONDENSED MILK Co. (Incorporated in Switzerland with Limited Liability.) Notice is hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the 6 per Cent. Cumulative Preference Shares in this Company will be CLOSED from 23rd June to 30th June, both days inclusive, for the purpose of preparation of Warrants in respect of the Dividend for the half-year ending 30th June, 1930. By Order of the Board. FRANK BRITAIN, General Manager. London Transfer Office. 18th June, 1930.

RICKETT, COCKERELL and Co., Ltd. Notice is hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS and REGISTER of MEMBERS of the Ordinary Shares of the Company will be CLOSED from June 23rd to July 7th, 1930, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board. E. A. ADCOCK, Secretary. Registered Offices, 52, Mark-lane, E.C.3. June 17th, 1930.

TRANSFER BOOKS (continued)

THE FOREIGN and COLONIAL INVESTMENT TRUST Co., Ltd. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Debenture Stock will be CLOSED from 26th inst. to July 9th, both days inclusive. By Order, G. I. HINKLY, Secretary. 3, Throgmorton-avenue, E.C. 18th June, 1930.

THE HACKNEY FURNISHING CO., Ltd. 7½ per CENT. PREFERENCE SHARES. Notice is hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Preference Shares will be CLOSED from the 20th June to the 30th June, both days inclusive, for the preparation of Dividend Warrants for the half-year's dividend due the 1st July, 1930. By Order of the Board. C. BLACK, Secretary. Note.—The Registered Office is now at Copthall House, Copthall-avenue, E.C.2.

THE HOME AND COLONIAL STORES, Limited. Notice is hereby given that the REGISTER of the Ordinary Shares will be CLOSED from the 19th to the 28th June, inclusive, for the preparation of Warrants for an Interim Dividend for the year 1930, payable on the 1st July. Transfers of Ordinary Shares lodged after the close of business on the 18th instant will be registered ex dividend. N. BULOW, Secretary. 179-189, City-road, E.C.1. 18th June, 1930.

DECLARATION OF DIVIDENDS

4 lines 20s. (minimum)

DEPARTMENT OF THE SEINE SEVEN per CENT. STERLING LOAN. Notice is hereby given that Bonds of the above Loan drawn for redemption, and Coupons falling due on the 1st July, 1930, should be PRESENTED for PAYMENT at the Counting House of Helbert, Wagg and Company, Ltd., 41, Threadneedle-street, E.C.2, between the hours of 11 and 2 (Saturdays excepted). Drawn Bonds and Coupons must be left three clear days for examination.

INTERNATIONAL SLEEPING CAR CO. SIX per CENT STERLING BONDS. (1922 Issue.) COUPON No. 16 representing the half-year's interest due 1st July, 1930, of the above Issue and the Bonds drawn for redemption will be PAID on that or any succeeding day (Saturdays excepted) at the Offices of Erlangers Ltd., 4, Moorgate, E.C.2, between the hours of 10 and 2 o'clock. Coupons and Drawn Bonds must be left three clear days for examination. London, 17th June, 1930.

INTERNATIONAL SLEEPING CAR CO. SIX per CENT. STERLING BONDS. (1924 Issue.) COUPON No. 10 representing the half-year's interest due 1st July, 1930, on the above Issue will be PAID on that or any succeeding day (Saturdays excepted) at the Offices of Erlangers Ltd., 4, Moorgate, E.C.2, between the hours of 10 and 2 o'clock. Coupons must be left three clear days for examination. London, 17th June, 1930.

MUNICIPALITY of PELOTAS FIVE per CENT. STERLING LOAN of 1911. COUPON No. 38 representing the half-year's interest due 30th June, 1930, on the above Loan will be PAID on that or any succeeding day (Saturdays excepted) at the Offices of Erlangers Ltd., 4, Moorgate, E.C.2, between the hours of 10 and 2 o'clock. Coupons must be left three clear days for examination. London, 17th June, 1930.

PROVINCE of BUENOS AIRES FIVE per CENT. EXTERNAL GOLD LOAN of 1910. COUPON No. 80 representing the quarter's interest due 1st July, 1930, on the above Loan will be PAID on that or any succeeding day (Saturdays excepted) at the Offices of Erlangers Ltd., 4, Moorgate, E.C.2, between the hours of 10 and 2 o'clock. Coupons must be left three clear days for examination. London, 17th June, 1930.

REPUBLIC of COLOMBIA ISSUE of £80,000 5 Per CENT. GOLD BONDS. COUPONS falling due on the 1st July, 1930, may be PRESENTED for PAYMENT between the hours of 11 and 3 (Saturdays excepted) at the Office of Messrs. Lazard Brothers and Company, Ltd., 11, Old Broad-street, London, E.C.2, where listing forms may be obtained. Coupons must be left three clear days for examination. London, E.C.2. 18th June, 1930.

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THE VICTORIA FALLS and TRANSVAAL POWER CO. LTD. 5½ per CENT. SECOND MORTGAGE DEBENTURES. SERIES A. and B. COUPON No. 36 representing the half-year's interest due 1st July, 1930, on the above will be PAID on that or any succeeding day (Saturdays excepted) at the Offices of Erlangers Ltd., 4, Moorgate, E.C.2, between the hours of 10 and 2 o'clock. Coupons must be left three clear days for examination. London, 17th June, 1930.

THE BRITISH and GERMAN TRUST, Ltd. Notice is hereby given that the DIVIDENDS for the half-year ending 30th June, 1930, on the 5 per Cent. Cumulative Preference Stock and the 5½ per Cent. Cumulative Second Preference Stock of the Company will be PAID on the 15th July, 1930, to Stockholders registered as at the close of business on 1st July, 1930. By Order of the Board. D. H. SCOTT, Secretary. 41, Threadneedle-street, E.C.2. 19th June, 1930.

THE CHILIAN NORTHERN RAILWAY Co., Ltd. The INTEREST COUPON No. 37 due 30th June, 1930, on above Company's 5 per Cent. Debentures will be PAYABLE at Messrs. Glyn, Mills and Co., 67, Lombard-street, E.C.3, on and after that date. 16th June, 1930.

THE MUNICIPAL MORTGAGE BANK of FINLAND 6½ per CENT. STERLING MORTGAGE BONDS. The COUPONS falling due on the 1st July, 1930, may be presented for PAYMENT between the hours of 10 and 2 (Saturdays excepted), at the office of Hambros Bank Limited, 41, Bishopsgate, E.C.2, or Messrs. Higginson and Co., 80, Lombard-street, E.C.3, where lists may be obtained. Coupons must be left three clear days for examination. 41, Bishopsgate, E.C.2. 80, Lombard-street, E.C.3. 19 June, 1930.

THE MELBOURNE ELECTRIC SUPPLY COMPANY, Limited. INTEREST on FIVE Per CENT. FIRST MORTGAGE DEBENTURE STOCK WARRANTS to BEARER. Notice is hereby given that COUPON No. 42 attached to the above Debenture Stock Warrants will be PAID on and after 1st July, 1930, on presentation to the Company's Bankers, The Bank of Australasia, 4, Threadneedle-street, London, E.C.2. Coupons must be left three clear days for examination. W. E. LANE, London Manager and Secretary. 27-28, Finsbury-square, London, E.C.2. 18th June, 1930.

COMPANY MEETING NOTICES

4 lines 20s. (minimum)

STEAUA ROMANA. SOCIÉTÉ ANONYME pour l'INDUSTRIE du PÉTROLE, BUCHAREST.

NOTICE.

In conformity with the decision of the Board, notice is hereby given to Shareholders of the Company that an ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING will be held on 30th June, 1930, at 11 o'clock in the morning, at the Head Office of the Company in Bucharest, Boulevard Carol 1, No. 3.

AGENDA.

(1) Report of the Board and of the Auditors;
(2) Approval of the Balance Sheet for the year 1929 and decisions to be taken relative to the utilization of the net profit;
(3) To give discharge to the Board for their management;
(4) To fix remuneration of the Auditors;
(5) Election of Members of the Board in place of those retiring by rotation and ratification of the co-opted Members;
(6) Election of Auditors and Assistant Auditors.

Shareholders wishing to take part in the Ordinary General Meeting must deposit their shares up to the 24th June, 1930, at the latest:—
In BUCHAREST. At the Head Office of the Company.
In LONDON. With Messrs. Stern Brothers, 6, Angel-court, Throgmorton-street.
In PARIS. With the Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
In ZURICH. With the Credit Suisse.
In BRUSSELS. At the Branch Office of the Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
In AMSTERDAM. At the Branch Office of the Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
In GENEVA. At the Branch Office of the Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.

Receipts for Shares deposited, setting forth the numbers of the Shares, will serve Shareholders as authority to take part in the Meeting.

In the event of the number of Shares required by the Law not being present or represented on the date for which the Ordinary General Meeting is called, it shall be adjourned unless otherwise convened, until the 8th July, 1930, at 11 o'clock in the morning, when the same Agenda will be considered, and decided with the Shares present.

In the event of the Ordinary General Meeting being adjourned, Shares can also be deposited on the 1st and 2nd July, 1930.

Messrs. Stern Brothers announce that Shareholders desirous of depositing their Shares for the above-mentioned purpose may deposit them at 6, Angel-court, between the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. (Saturdays excepted).

BONDS CANCELLED

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UNITED STATES OF BRAZIL GOVERNMENT FOUR per CENT. LOAN. (Issue of £2,400,000—1911.)

Lloyds Bank Limited, City Office, 20, King William-street, London, E.C.4, have to announce that Bonds for £13,580 (nominal) of the above Issue have been PURCHASED for the Sinking Fund.

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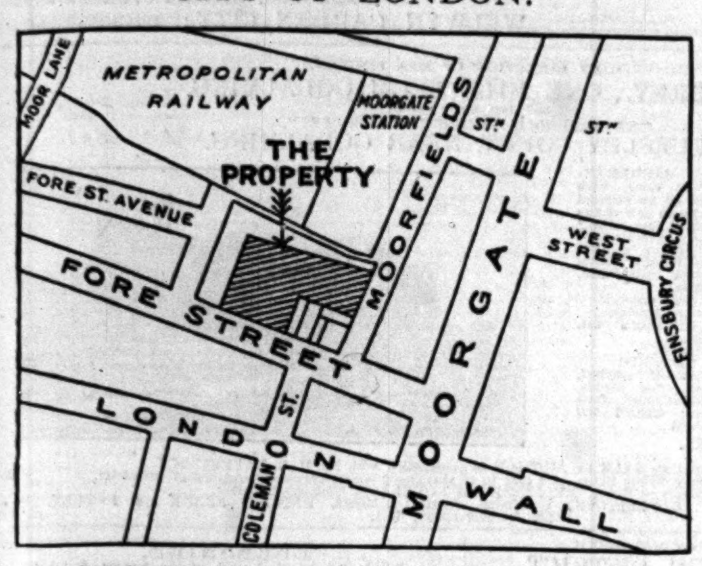
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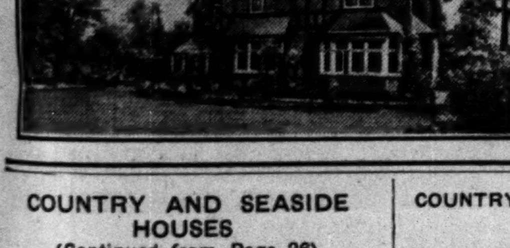
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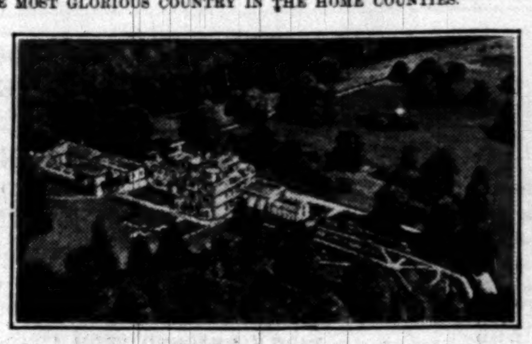
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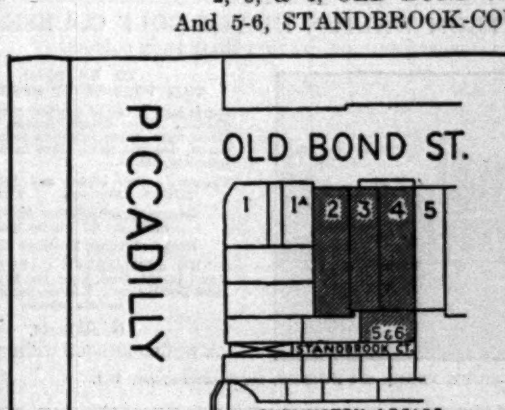
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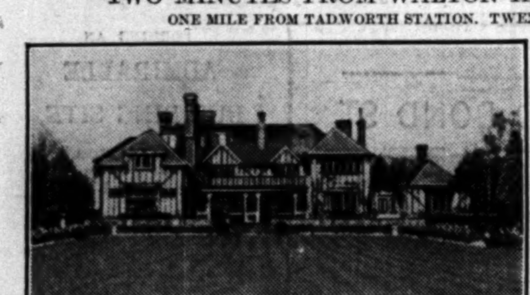


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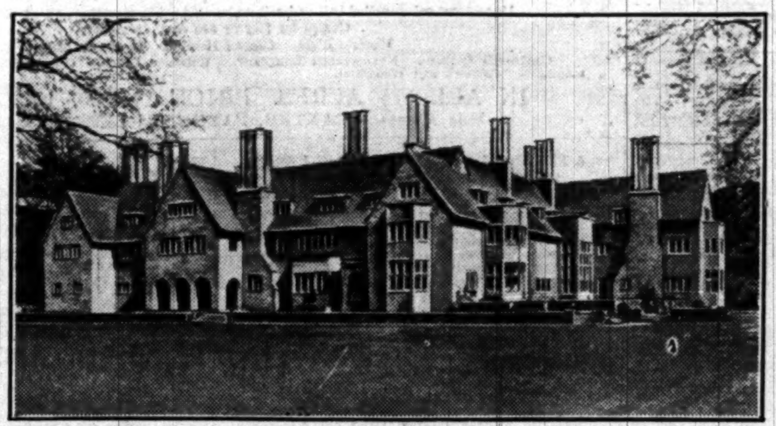
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GARDENS of about ONE-THIRD OF AN ACRE, sheltered by well-grown trees and shrubberies, flower gardens, spacious lawn.
To be offered for SALE by AUCTION, in conjunction with Messrs. GIDDYS, in the Hanover-square Estate Room at a date to be announced (unless previously disposed of privately).
Solicitors:—Messrs. DEES and THOMPSON, 117, Pilgrim-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. GIDDYS, Sunningdale, Berks, and at Maidenhead and Windsor.
Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

HORSHAM DISTRICT.
FOR SALE FREEHOLD,
WITH 10, OR 129 ACRES.



A SUBSTANTIAL MODERN RESIDENCE having every present-day requirement, nicely secluded from the road, and approached by a long avenue drive.
It faces full South, and contains:—Vestibule and lounge 33ft. by 16ft. 6in., three other reception rooms, 12 bed and dressing rooms, three bath rooms, and excellent offices.
Electric light. Central heating, and unfailing water supply.
INEXPENSIVE AND WELL-TIMBERED GROUNDS AND GARDENS,
with Tennis Court and Ornamental Pond.
Good stabling for eight or more. Garage for two.
Model labour-saving home farm (let off), with modern equipment for a pedigree herd.
Farmhouse, Lodge, Three Cottages. Rich Pastureland bounded by the River Arun. HUNTING with four packs. GOLF.
Agents:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1. (23,855.)

Preliminary Announcement.
ON DEESIDE.
THE SPORTING AND RESIDENTIAL ESTATE of
DURRIS,
WITH 6½ MILES OF SALMON FISHING
on the South Bank of the River Dee below Banchory, and easily reached from London and the South by rail via Aberdeen or direct from Stonehaven Station.
AREA 16,000 ACRES.
DURRIS HOUSE, part of which dates from the 17th century, with a comfortable and up-to-date more recent addition, stands in delightful grounds, a feature of which is the magnificent collection of trees of all kinds.
The house contains entrance hall, four reception rooms, business room, 14 bed and dressing rooms, five bath rooms, and ample servants' bed rooms and domestic accommodation.
Electric light and modern conveniences.
THE GROUSE MOOR
yields from 500 to 1,000 brace, and there is capital partridge and other shooting.
SALMON FISHING IN THE RIVER DEE FOR 6½ MILES.
About 300 fish are killed in Spring months, and 40 in Autumn.
THE WOODLANDS are a feature of the Estate, and there is a large amount of valuable timber ready for cutting.
THE AGRICULTURAL PORTION OF THE ESTATE includes 52 Farms, which, with Cottages, &c., bring in an agricultural rental of over
£6,500 PER ANNUM.
To be offered for SALE by AUCTION in the early Autumn.
Solicitors: Messrs. LAIRD and MACINTYRE, 97, West Regent-street, Glasgow.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1, and Edinburgh.

SALE TO-MORROW, FRIDAY, 20th JUNE, AT THE ROYAL OAK HOTEL, LEOMINSTER, at 2.30 p.m.,
AS A WHOLE OR IN LOTS.
HEREFORDSHIRE.
EASTERN OR UPPER LYE FARM, LYE CORNER FARM,
SHOBDON FOREST,
together with
NASH'S COTTAGE, EASTHAMPTON,
1,330 ACRES,
of which 1,129 acres are leased to the Forestry Commission at the yearly rent of £142 excluding
THE VALUABLE SPORTING RIGHTS.
Solicitors:—Messrs. TAYLOR, WILLCOCKS and Co., Bank Chambers, 218, Strand, W.C.2.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

INVERNESS-SHIRE.
IN THE BEAUTIFUL DISTRICT TO THE SOUTH OF THE TOWN OF INVERNESS.
THE RESIDENTIAL AND SPORTING ESTATE OF
INSHES.



AREA, 1,185 ACRES,
including INSHES HOUSE, in a delightful situation, with extensive views of the surrounding country, and containing dining room, drawing room, billiard room, nine principal bed and dressing rooms, ample bath room and servants' accommodation.
Electric Light. Central Heating, and modern improvements recently carried out.
Good garden with hard tennis court.
Excellent cottages for estate employees. Garage.
SHOOTING.—Capital mixed (grouse and usual low ground game) over the estate.
The sale includes FOUR PRINCIPAL FARMS—DELL of INSHES, MILTON of LEYS, EASTERFIELD, and WESTER INSHES—and the Agricultural Rental received amounts to over £900 per annum.
In addition there is considerable revenue derived from the Hydro Electric Power Station upon the property.
To be offered for SALE by AUCTION as a whole or in 16 Lots, at the STATION HOTEL, INVERNESS, on TUESDAY, 8th JULY, 1930, at 2.15 p.m. (unless previously sold privately).
Factors:—Messrs. ROBERT F. CAMERON and FORREST, C.A., Inverness.
Solicitors:—Messrs. INNES and MACKAY, Inverness.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1, and Edinburgh.

BY DIRECTION OF THE TRUSTEES FOR THE LATE MRS. KINNERSLEY HOOPER.
SURREY HILLS.
1½ mile from Shalford; three miles from Guildford; about an hour from London.
TO BE SOLD, THE ATTRACTIVE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY,
LITTLE TANGLEY, WONERSH.
THE HOUSE IS SITUATED IN THE CENTRE OF THE ESTATE



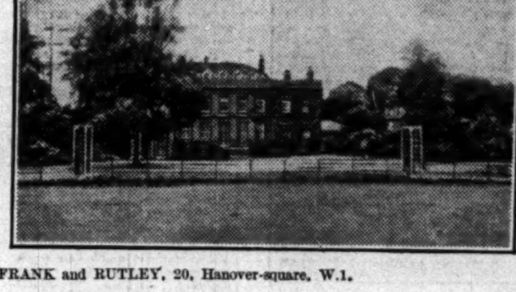
and approached by a long carriage drive, with a Lodge at entrance. The accommodation comprises: Lounge hall, billiard room, three reception rooms, 17 bed rooms, and two bath rooms and complete offices.
Heating by hot air; electric light; Company's water; main drainage.
Ample Garage accommodation and Stabling; Home Farm; Four Cottages.
DELIGHTFUL GARDENS AND GROUNDS,
which ensure complete privacy, spacious Terraces, wide-spreading lawns shaded by beautiful old trees, masses of azaleas and clumps of bamboos; rose garden; walled kitchen garden; woodlands and excellent parkland, in all about
87 ACRES.
Sole Agents:—Messrs. CROWE, BATES and WEEKES, Guildford and Cranleigh, Surrey; and Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

BY DIRECTION OF MRS. A. B. THORP.
KENT AND SUSSEX BORDERS.
Two and a half miles from Etchingham Station by road. Twelve miles from Tunbridge Wells. Fourteen miles from Hastings.
THE FREEHOLD RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY,
SWIFTSDEN, HURST GREEN.



THE PICTURESQUE MODERN RESIDENCE
is in the Queen Anne style, and stands on high ground, facing south, commanding magnificent views over the undulating wooded country towards the coast. The accommodation includes lounge hall, three reception rooms, billiard room, 10 bed rooms, four bath rooms, and complete offices.
Company's Water. Electric Light. Central Heating. Modern Drainage. Telephone.
Stabling and Garage Premises.
Four Cottages. Home Farm.
CHARMING PLEASURE GROUNDS, falling in a series of terraces to the south, tennis lawn, rose garden, wild garden, and well-stocked fruit and vegetable gardens and orchard.
Parklike pasture and woodland, intersected by a stream. In all about
44 ACRES.
To be offered for SALE by AUCTION, in the Hanover-square Estate Room, on Thursday, 24th July, 1930, at 2.30 p.m. (unless previously disposed of privately).
Solicitors:—Messrs. THORP, SAUNDERS and THORP, 79, Salisbury House, London-wall, E.C.2.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

AT THE LOW PRICE OF £7,000.
SUFFOLK. 3½ MILES FROM BECCLES JUNCTION.
THE FREEHOLD RESIDENTIAL AND SPORTING ESTATE,
REDISHAM HALL, BECCLES.
THE STATELY RESIDENCE IS OF THE GEORGIAN PERIOD,
and approached by two winding carriage drives, each with lodge entrances.



The accommodation comprises:
Lounge, three reception rooms, very fine music or billiard room, 11 or 12 bed and dressing rooms, two bath rooms, and convenient domestic offices.
Electric light. Central heating. Modern drainage. Telephone. Excellent water supply.
Range of stabling. Garage accommodation. Other useful outbuildings.
THE TIMBERED PLEASURE GROUNDS
include lawns with ornamental water, yew and beech hedges, herbaceous borders, tennis and croquet lawns, productive kitchen garden, with range of glasshouses. In addition to the lodges there are two good cottages, making five in all.
THE PARK LAND is undulating and beautifully timbered and the woods afford sport, in all about
409 ACRES.
Agents:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

SALES TUESDAY, 24th JUNE, AT THE DUKE'S HEAD HOTEL, KING'S LYNN, at 2.30 p.m.,
AS A WHOLE, IN BLOCKS, OR IN LOTS.
BETWEEN KING'S LYNN AND SWAFFHAM.
EASTGATE HOUSE ESTATE,
MARHAM.
Including the HOME FARM, four cottages, two bungalows.
Also the corn-growing holding,
BATTLE FARM.
Four cottages, aeroplane hangar,
and the productive holding, NARBOROUGH YARDS.
937 ACRES.
Eastgate House, with 31 Acres, will be scheduled with the extensive shooting rights over the whole estate, which provides first-rate partridge shooting.
VACANT POSSESSION on COMPLETION.
Solicitors:—Messrs. PICKERING, KENYON and Co., 4, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's Inn, W.C.2.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

BETWEEN KING'S LYNN AND DOWNHAM MARKET.
THE WATLINGTON ESTATE,
including CHURCH FARM, WATLINGTON.
VALUABLE BUILDING SITES.
ACCOMMODATION AND FRUIT-GROWING LANDS.
104 ACRES.
Solicitors:—Messrs. DUFFIELD, BRUTY and Co., Broad-street-avenue, Blomfield-street, E.C.2.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

SALE THURSDAY, 26th JUNE, in the HANOVER-SQUARE ESTATE ROOM, at 2.30 p.m.
HARRINGTON HOUSE.
KENSINGTON PALACE GARDENS.
THE CROWN LEASE
of a most stately and probably one of the finest of London's smaller mansions.
IN PRIVATE GROUNDS OF OVER ONE ACRE, OVERLOOKING KENSINGTON GARDENS.
Hall with grand staircase, five reception rooms, billiard room, winter garden, 12 principal bed and dressing rooms, six bath rooms, 10 staff bed rooms.
Electric passenger lift. Central heating and independent hot water.
Hard tennis court, croquet lawn; garage; chauffeur's cottage; stabling and groom's quarters.
LEASE ABOUT 54¼ YEARS UNEXPIRED.
RENT £420 PER ANNUM.
Solicitors:—Messrs. MAXWELL, BATLEY, and Co., 44-46, Leadenhall-street, E.C.3.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

BY DIRECTION OF H. D. BUTLER, ESQ.
SUSSEX.
Four miles from West Grinstead, five and a half miles from Haywards Heath.
Eight miles from Horsham and 12 miles from Brighton.
THE FREEHOLD RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY,
ORMONDE HALL, BOLNEY.



THE DELIGHTFUL XVth CENTURY HOUSE
has been sympathetically restored and enlarged, and although replete with all modern comforts, retains its old characteristics. Entrance and lounge halls, gallery, great hall, dining room, six bed rooms, two bath rooms, and complete offices.
Central Heating. Main Water. Wired for Electric Light. Telephone.
Two Garages. Ample Stabling.
SUBSTANTIAL LODGE
with three rooms, kitchen and bath room.
CHARMING PLEASURE GROUNDS
including swimming pool, mature kitchen and fruit garden, Parkland with valuable frontage.
In all about
25 ACRES.
To be offered for SALE by AUCTION as a WHOLE or in THREE LOTS in the Hanover-square Estate Room at a date to be announced (unless previously disposed of privately).
Solicitors:—Messrs. SAXTON and MORGAN, 15, Somerset-street, Portman-square, W.1.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

SALE TUESDAY, 24th JUNE, IN THE HANOVER-SQUARE ESTATE ROOM, at 2.30 p.m.
BY DIRECTION OF J. DOUGLAS WATSON, ESQ.
CHILTERN HILLS, BUCKS.
One mile from Great Missenden.
THE FREEHOLD RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY.
HAVENFIELDS,
GREAT MISSENDEN.
Including a House of Queen Anne character, containing entrance and lounge halls, four reception rooms, 11 bed and dressing rooms, four bath rooms, and offices.
Electric light. Central heating. Company's water. Modern drainage.
Garage, stabling, and farm buildings.
Two capital Flats.
OLD-WORLD GARDENS, shaded by specimen chestnut and other trees; tennis and croquet lawns, rose garden, walled garden, and orchard. Parklike pastureland, in all about
33 ACRES.
Solicitors:—Messrs. SIMMONS and SIMMONS, 1, Threadneedle-street, E.C.2.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. WILSON and Co., 14, Mount-street, W.1; Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

SALE WEDNESDAY, 25th JUNE, AT THE NORFOLK HOTEL, ARUNDEL, at 3 p.m.
AS A WHOLE OR in 3 LOTS.
BY DIRECTION OF HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF NORFOLK, EARL MARSHAL AND HEREDITARY MARSHAL OF ENGLAND.
WEST SUSSEX.
About 1¼ miles from Arundel.
A FREEHOLD RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY,
LYMINSTER HOUSE.
The RESIDENCE contains lounge and other halls, three reception rooms, 13 bed and dressing rooms, and offices.
Stabling and Garage. Farmery.
Two cottages (one on lease).
DELIGHTFUL GARDENS AND GROUNDS, PARKLANDS, SOUND OLD PASTURE AND WOODLANDS.
Part of the property has long frontages to hard roads.
46 ACRES.
Solicitors:—Messrs. HOLMES, BELDAM and Co., Arundel and Littlehampton, Sussex.
Land Agent:—CAPTAIN E. H. MOSTYN, T.D., F.L.A.S., Estate Office, Arundel, Sussex.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. NEWLAND TOMPKINS and TAYLOR, F.A.I., Pulborough, and at Petworth, Sussex.
Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

BY DIRECTION OF MRS. M. ST. JOHN TOLHURST.
HAMPSHIRE. TWO MILES FROM ALTON.
THE FREEHOLD RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY,
THE OLD FARM, BEECH.



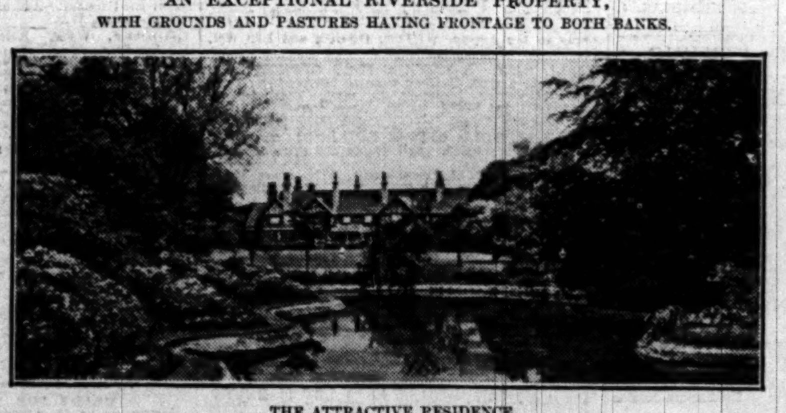
A DELIGHTFUL
XVth CENTURY FARM HOUSE,
standing nearly 600ft. above sea level and facing South. The house contains entrance hall, lounge, two reception rooms, six bed and dressing rooms, two bath rooms and complete offices.
Ample water supply. Electric light. Central heating. Large garage. Bungalow and shed.
TIMBERED GARDENS, lawns, flower and kitchen gardens, orchard and paddock, in all about
3 ACRES.
To be offered for SALE by AUCTION in the Hanover-square Estate Room at a date to be announced (unless previously disposed of privately).
Solicitors:—Messrs. KENNETH E. BARTLETT, ELLIOTT and Co., 83, Cannon-street, E.C.4, and at High-street, Eltham, Kent.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1.

FAVOURITE ASHDOWN FOREST DISTRICT.
FIVE MILES FROM THE FAMOUS GOLF LINKS.
TO BE SOLD. ONE OF THE BEST RESIDENTIAL ESTATES IN THE HOME COUNTIES,
EXTENDING TO ABOUT 426 ACRES.



THE HALF-TIMBERED AND GABLED MODERN MANSION in Elizabethan style stands 500ft. above sea level and enjoys some of the finest views in Sussex. Large panelled lounge, panelled morning room, library and two other fine reception rooms, beautiful loggia, some 18 bed and dressing rooms, six bath rooms, excellent light offices. *Every Conceivable Modern Improvement.*
Range of stabling and ample garage accommodation. Four Cottages and Lodge.
THE EXCEPTIONALLY BEAUTIFUL GROUNDS AND GARDENS extend to about 22 ACRES, and are a special feature of the property. There are good grass tennis courts and en-tout-cas court, rock and water garden, swimming pool, extensive matured kitchen and fruit garden, ornamental woodlands, rhododendrons, shrubs, alpine house. Home Farm in hand and other lands let off.
Agents:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1. (23420.)

ON A FAVOURITE REACH OF THE THAMES,
WITHIN AN HOUR OF LONDON.
AN EXCEPTIONAL RIVERSIDE PROPERTY,
WITH GROUNDS AND PASTURES HAVING FRONTAGE TO BOTH BANKS.



THE ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE
stands in charming Gardens on the Berkshire bank of the River, and contains Lounge Hall, Billiard room, Sun room, five Reception rooms (including Dining room with finely carved French Renaissance panelling), 16 Bed and Dressing rooms, five bath rooms, and complete offices.
There is a very fine old Georgian staircase and the principal Bedrooms have fitted basins.
MANY THOUSANDS OF POUNDS HAVE RECENTLY BEEN SPENT UPON THE PROPERTY, WHICH IS NOW IN EXCELLENT ORDER THROUGHOUT.
Main Electric Light, Water, and Gas. Central Heating. Telephone. Ample Garage and Stabling accommodation. Entrance Lodge. Chauffeur's Flat. Laundry with Maids' Rooms.
RIVERSIDE PLEASURE GROUNDS shaded by many specimen Trees. Two Hard Tennis Courts. Rose Garden. Croquet Lawn. Kitchen Garden, Orchard and Glasshouses. Valuable Water Meadows.
The property has long frontage to the River, with Boat House, Wet Dock, and Store. In all about
38 ACRES.
FOR SALE FREEHOLD BY PRIVATE TREATY.
Sole Agents:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1. (F.7641.)

IN THE HEART OF THE BLACKMORE VALE HUNT,
AND CLOSE TO THE SPURLES POLO GROUND.
TWO MILES FROM MILBORNE, FIVE MILES FROM TEMPLECOMBE JUNCTION.



TO BE SOLD,
THIS PICTURESQUE FREEHOLD RESIDENCE,
erected of Ham stone, standing some 250ft. above the sea, and commanding delightful views over undulating country. The accommodation comprises lounge hall, three reception rooms, 17 bed rooms, four bath rooms, and complete domestic offices.
Central heating. Private water supply. Modern drainage.
Garage. Stabling for five.
Lodge. Stud groom's House. Three Cottages.
THE WELL-MAINTAINED PLEASURE GROUNDS have been skilfully laid out, and include bowling green, tennis courts, rose garden, completely walled kitchen garden, three hothouses.
The remainder of the property comprises enclosures of arable and meadow land, and there are a range of useful Home Farm buildings, and an extensive quarry.
THE WHOLE EXTENDING TO ABOUT 50 ACRES.
Agents:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1. (27624.)

PERTHSHIRE.
THE SPORTING AND RESIDENTIAL ESTATE OF
BALDARROCH,
extending to an area of about
648 ACRES.
WITH SALMON FISHING IN THE RIVER TAY.
BALDARROCH HOUSE stands in a delightful sheltered position among the Pine Woods to the South of the River Tay, near Murthly Station. The House is conveniently planned on two floors only and contains—four reception rooms, billiard room, 13 principal bed and dressing rooms, two bath rooms, and ample servants' accommodation.
ATTRACTIVE GARDEN AND GROUNDS with delightful woodland walks and Tennis Lawn, &c.
Garage and Estate Cottages.
THE ESTATE IS REMARKABLY WELL WOODED and PROVIDES CAPITAL SHOOTING FOR ITS SIZE, with mixed bags of pheasants, partridges, duck, snipe, Blackgame, Capercailzie, hares, rabbits, and roe deer. There is a capital loch for duck.
SALMON and TROUT FISHING in the RIVER TAY FOR A DISTANCE OF ABOUT ¾ OF A MILE.
Home Farm and Good House and steading.
To be offered for SALE by AUCTION as a whole at an early date (unless previously sold privately).
Solicitors:—Messrs. W. and J. COOK, W.S., 61, Castle-street, Edinburgh.
Auctioneers:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1, and Edinburgh.

BY DIRECTION OF W. J. SMITH, ESQ.
KENT COAST, HERNE BAY,
ON THE SUMMIT OF THE EAST CLIFF, WITHIN A SHORT DISTANCE OF THE DOWNS, THE BANDSTAND AND BATHING CABINS.
THE FREEHOLD FAMILY & PRIVATE HOTEL FAIRLAWN.
Commodious premises, comprising, in a compact block, TWO MODERN RESIDENCES and THE ANNEXE OF TWO BIJOU VILLAS, containing in all
TWENTY-FIVE ROOMS,
Four bath rooms, kitchens, and offices. Garages.
GARDENS AND LAWNS.
Together with the GOODWILL of the ESTABLISHED CONNECTION and
THE FURNITURE, FITTINGS, AND EQUIPMENT.
To be offered for SALE by AUCTION, as a WHOLE, with EARLY POSSESSION, or alternatively in SEPARATE LOTS as
PRIVATE RESIDENCES,
in the Hanover-square Estate Room, on Thursday, 10th July, 1930, at 2.30 p.m. (unless previously disposed of privately).
Solicitors: Messrs. L. A. BLACKBOURN and SONS, High-street, Herne Bay, Kent; and 3, Staple Inn, W.C.1.
Auctioneers: Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1, and 41, Bank-street, Ashford, Kent.

EASTBOURNE.
TO BE LET UNFURNISHED OR MIGHT BE SOLD.
THIS DELIGHTFUL OLD
MANOR HOUSE,
DATING BACK TO XVth CENTURY,
recently restored throughout and having all latest improvements, including
Central Heating.
GREAT HALL 31FT. BY 21FT.,
and two other reception rooms, eight bed rooms, three bath rooms, all Main Services;
GARAGE;
Stone-flagged Courtyard;
NICE GARDEN WITH TENNIS LAWN,
in all about
ONE ACRE.



Agents:—Messrs. KNIGHT, FRANK and RUTLEY, 20, Hanover-square, W.1. (27692.)

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